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KEEP YOUR MIND ON AMERICA!

Your Safety and the Safety of Your Country.

The P. C. Editor Says:

M. E. Montgomery, a Scott County product, a lawyer of sound judgement and unbiased opinion, is a candidate for Circuit Judge of this Judicial District and should receive the solid support of Scott County voters. The reason this paragraph is written is because we have it on good authority that money is being used to hire men to work for another candidate which to our way of thinking might come under the corrupt practices act.

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Senator McReynolds spoke in Sikeston Tuesday evening from the stand in Railroad Park. As he failed to have his bills printed in either of the Sikeston newspaper offices we failed to hear his speech.

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Wilson Bell, publisher of a newspaper at Potosi and candidate for State Treasurer on the Democratic ticket, was a Sikeston visitor Tuesday in the interest of his candidacy. He made a mighty good impression on those with whom he met. He was accompanied by Lyman Matthews, of Farmington, but formerly of Sikeston.

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A farm woman near Lexington, Ky., knocked her husband in the head with an axe and gave as her reason that the said husband had threatened her and refused to give she and her sons such money as they wanted. Hope this mode of shuffling off this mortal coil will not become contagious in this community as a good many husbands might get the axe.

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Just a line to preachers who baptise their converts in the swift flowing waters of the East Ditch to place the victim with their head up the stream instead of head down the stream. The reason: At the Baptising Sunday last the dress of one woman who was immersed with her head down stream had her dress washed up and she wore nothing under the dress much to the mortification of onlookers.

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Let us say again that we are 100 per cent for the bond issue of $20,000 for the payment of the J. A. Sutterfield house and the remodeling of the same and equipment for a hospital. All know the need of such an institution and instead of sending patients to hospitals in other cities they can be treated in Sikeston just as well. We hope there will not be a single ballot cast against this bond issue.

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Jumps Cauthorn, of St. Louis, jumped into The Standard office Tuesday afternoon for a visit then jumped out for a journey to Caruthersville. He didn't tell us what his business in Southeast Missouri was, but he talked like he was for Harry Truman for re-election as United States Senator and Lawrence McDaniel for Governor, or that was our impression after hearing him talk and all who know Jumps, know he can talk. Fact of the matter, some years ago Jumps talked us into paying in hard cash $500 for a Poland-China boar pig that a year or two later we couldn't give away and finally shipped him to St. Louis where he was sold for $26. When Jumps was reminded of that pig deal he told us that he told other Poland-China breeders that we resold this pig for $800 making a nice profit in the transaction. That is Jumps, all right, but as he was born in Monroe County our former home, we must stand together for Truman and McDaniel.

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A cold-blooded bunch of politicians are busy just now throwing the harpoon into Judge Douglas because he has written a letter in behalf of his fellow townsman, Lawrence McDaniel, for governor. When Douglas was a candidate, he had the active support of McDaniel and evidently Judge Douglas did not forget the kindness shown him. No nobler virtue warms the heart of a human being than that of gratitude. The person who does not appreciate a favor shown him can have none of the finer qualities of humanity. We are glad that Judge Douglas wrote the letter—it shows that he has a fellow feeling that makes him wondrous kind and fine.—Jefferson City Capital News.

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Hon. Louis N. Wolf, of Joplin, candidate for the Springfield Supreme Court of Appeals, short term, was a Sikeston visitor Tuesday evening and called at the Standard office. We found him to be a very agreeable gentleman and were glad for the visit.

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Looks Like It's All Cotton This Summer, My Dear

"Bedspreads" turn into house coats; "bath mats" into jackets; "Army tents" make cute raincoats; napkins become dresses, and "towels" . . . well, they make perfectly swell beach capes.

Add up all these things and you get a bird's eye preview of summer fashions. Bedspreads, bath mats, army tents, tablecloths and towels all are made of cotton. And cotton is the fabric for spring and summer.

Mary Nell Porter of Memphis, Tenn., the National Cotton Council's 1940 Maid of Cotton, set out recently to sell the country the idea of using more cotton goods. Mary Nell explains that when we use this white fluffy stuff we help the South. The result is more money in our own pockets.

In a way, Mary Nell is a cotton expert. Her entire wardrobe is made of cotton. And we said entire! When the average girl thinks of cotton stockings, she shudders and pictures lumpy sagging hose which make her legs look like a football player's. But that's not the case! Mary Nell's cotton hose are as sheer as a wisp of smoke and . . . get this, girls! . . . you can snag 'em all you like and they won't unravel.

And as for "unmentionables," don't get the idea that you stopped wearing cotton undies when you outgrew your last pair of rompers and all that went with them. They're as dainty and feminine as perfume, and as different from old-fashioned bloomers as night and day!

Shoes . . . ? Say, if Cinderella had worn a pair of gingham plaid "wedges" instead of glass slippers, she would have never been careless enough to lose one! You absolutely can't go wrong if you plan to wear cotton shoes for summer.

To wear cotton this year is to be ultra sophisticated. The latest models are form-fitting as gloves and cool as air-conditioning. Daytime cotton dresses range from adorable school girl styles with tiny checks no bigger than that, to swanky and veddy, veddy sleek cotton laces that can be worn to Mrs. Astor's tea.

Remember the time when a cotton bathing suit was a droopy knitted garment? You took your life in your hands every time you went near the water in one of those old-timey models. What progress we've made. To be tops in fashion this year you wear a cotton suit.

The materials used in these suits are ginghams, percales, piques, chambrays and anything else that strikes your fancy. The most popular style consists of a tiny "top", a bare midriff, and a very short and very ruffled ballet skirt over tiny cotton bloomers.

Don't worry, ladies, the suits are preshrunk. More than that, some of them are water-repellent. You can stay in the water about thirty minutes before they get wet.

Practically all of the summer sports clothes are made of cotton. They are bright gabardine skirts cunningly flared to give you a waist no bigger 'n' a thimble. The pockets on these skirts are designed along the lines of a small pouch—they hold everything from your lipstick to a set of encyclopedias.

It is hard to believe this, but there is such a thing as cotton jewelry. In Mary Nell's "gadget box" there are two perfect cotton bolls. Jewelry? In a way, yes. Mary Nell clips them in her hair for evening. They're very compliment-provoking.

Army tents are of waterproofed cotton, so why not raincoats? As a motter of fact, there are a number of cotton raincoats, both lightweight and heavy, plain and fancy. Some of the styles are printed with plaids, as Scotch as bagpipes.

And hats . . . It's taken for granted that nothing can surprise you in hat styles, so we'll take up from there and tell you that spring and summer hats (at least, some of them) are made of cotton.

Nighties come last of all. The cotton ones are soft, and cool and sheer. Some are ruffled to within an inch of their lives while others are beautifully tailored and sewn by hand.

It's definitely a cotton summer!

LOCAL FORD DEALERS HOLD TRUCK JAMBOREE

Over 100 truck operators and drivers were guests of Ralph Williams and Herb Walton, proprietors of the Walton-Williams Motor Co. dealing in the Ford, Mercury and Lincoln Zepher here, the past week. The party opened with a movie which included the showing of pictures covering the scientific side of the Ford Motor Co. It offered some very educational features, as well as fine entertainment. The program also included a picture portraying the important part that the truck plays in every-day living. The windup was an interesting and picturesque film entitled, "A Trip Through the 1940 World's Fair at New York" Following the pictures the Ford Motor Co. zone manager, R. W. Wairicher, acted as master of ceremonies, and along with introducting the dealer's organization he made a short talk. Harry Eschenroeder, Ford truck supervisor, also spoke. Refreshments were served afterwards.

DR. PAYNE HOME BURNS AT ST. LOUIS

The home of Dr. and Mrs. Richard Payne in St. Louis County was destroyed by fire last week and only a few household goods were saved, including some family silver, china and two rooms of bedroom furniture. Mrs. Payne is the sister of Mrs. Leonard McMullin of Sikeston and daughter of A. J. Matthews of Portageville, formerly of Sikeston. Mr. Matthews had arrived at the home of his daughter about 30 minutes before the blaze was discovered. Mrs. Matthews and the maid were also at the 10-room residence on Lindbergh Drive at the time. Dr. Payne and sons, Richard and Spencer, were away.

The spire of only one English cathedral, that at Chichester, can be seen from the sea.

Bijou Has Easy Go, 12-2 With Local

Bijou kept the ball traveling all over the outfield in a dynamic batting attack that gave the Confectionery a 12-2 decision over Local Truck in the National League Tuesday night at the softball field.

Bijou artillery drove out 14 hits—five doubles, two triples and a home run—while the Truckers accounted for four safeties, and played the game without an error.

Ray Marsh wound up a four-hit drive in the first inning with a home run with one on that made a total of six runs for the Confectionery. The "Tech" ten sailed along, adding one each in the third and fifth, and concluding with a five-hit rally in the sixth that produced four runs.

Charlie Beal's single, followed by four walks, gave the Truckers their pair of runs in the third.

In holding the Locals to four hits, Bill Simmons struck out eight.

Local Truck	AB	R	H	E
Kindred, 3b.	3	0	0	1
Wilson, c.	2	0	0	0
Cox, lf.	3	0	0	0
Galvin, 2b.	3	0	0	0
Stacy, 1b.	3	0	0	0
Fox, ss.	2	0	1	1
C. Carter, sc.	2	0	0	1
Beal, cf.	3	1	3	0
Bartlett, rf.	1	1	0	0
F. Bowman, p.	1	0	0	0
Clinton—x	1	0	0	0
	24	2	4	3

Bijou	AB	R	H	E
Lambert, sc.	4	1	2	0
Lancaster, 3b.	2	0	1	0
B. Montgomery, 3b.	2	1	1	0
Rafferty, c.	4	3	3	0
Cl. Beal, rf.	2	0	1	0
Watson, rf.	1	1	0	1
Hill, cf.	4	1	0	0
E. Williams, 1b.	3	0	1	0
Golladay, ss.	3	1	2	0
Zacher, 2b.	1	1	1	0
R. Marsh, 2b.	2	1	1	0
F. Swaim, lf.	2	1	0	0
Simmons, p.	3	1	1	0
	33	12	14	0

Local Truck	022	000	0— 2
Bijou	601	014	x—12

Summary: Two-base hits, Rafferty, Zacher, Clem Beal, Montgomery, Lambert; three-base hits, Golladay, Rafferty; home run, Marsh; double play, Lambert to Rafferty; bases on balls, off Bowman 2, off Simmons 7; struck out, by Bowman 1, by Simmons 8; umpires, Deal, Gilbert and Parks; scorer, Leo Smith.

All-Star Twin Bill Tonight

The Dexter Toppers and Cairo, Ill., softball team will mix with two Sikeston All-Star teams this Thursday evening, July 18, at the softball field.

"Shorty" Crain and Frank Clinton will manage the local aggregations.

The first game will be at 7:30 p. m. Admission willl be 5 and 10 cents.

ISCO Trips Dempster Team, 7-6

In one of the tensest games ever seen on the local softball field—which was something of a family affair, too—International Shoe broke through a deadlock after two extra innings to defeat Dempster Furniture, 7-6, Tuesday night.

It was not the score itself so much as the story behind it. Ray Bandy and Carl Eaton, ace players on the Shoe Factory, had been traded Monday night to the Furniture team, which is a contender for the American League crown. ISCO secured Gray and Radcliff from Dempster's in the deal.

Naturally, the remaining Internationals didn't want the opinion to get about that they were ready for the shelf. So in the pinches they played superhuman ball.

Shoe Factory began early, and by the third inning had a 6-3 lead, Tope gaining a home run in the third.

The exchanges, Bandy and Eaton, almost wrecked the aims of the Shoe Factory. In the seventh they were chiefly responsible for tying the score. After Dover had walked and Dempster hit into an error, Bandy singled and Eaton came along with a bounding three bagger.

These three runs tied the score. Dempster's got three men on base in the eighth, on an error and two hits, including a double by Jones, but the ISCO men tightened, caught a man at home plate and shut off the threat.

Then in the last of the ninth came the climax. Bartholomew singled, stole second, and Weeks' safety drove in Curt.

Dempster's with 11 hits were three ahead of ISCO.

Dempster	AB	R	H	E
R. Bandy, ss.	4	3	3	1
B. Aldridge, lf.	5	0	1	0
Treece, cf.	4	0	0	0
Eaton, 1b.	4	0	2	0
Hale, rf.	4	0	1	0
Ables, c.	4	0	0	1
Bray, 3b.	4	0	1	0
Jones, sc.	4	0	1	0
Dover, 2b.	3	1	1	1
Dempster, p.	4	2	1	0
	39	6	11	3

ISCO	AB	R	H	E
P. Crain, lf.	4	0	1	1
B. Crain, sc.	4	1	1	0
F. Tope, ss.	4	1	1	1
Bartholomew, 3b.	4	1	2	0
Weeks, rf.	4	1	2	0
Puckett, 1b.	2	0	0	0
D. Tope, c.	3	0	0	0
Lee Page, 2b.	3	1	1	1
Chaney, cf.	1	0	0	0
Shelby, cf.	2	0	0	0
Bennett, p.	3	0	0	0
	34	7	8	3

Dempster	102	003	000—6
ISCO	312	000	001—7

Summary: Two-base hits, Bartholomew, B. Crain, Weeks, Bandy 2, Dempster, Jones; three-base hit, Eaton; home run, Tope; bases on balls, off Bennett 4, off Dempster 1; struck out, by Bennett 3, by Dempster 1; umpires, Deal, Gilbert, Crane; scorer, Leo Smith.

In the steel industry, "stripping" refers to the removal of ingot molds from ingot.

Cape Nipped In Sixth by All-Stars, 3-2

Arthur Bruce's happy triple, one of those do-or-die, Ned-Brant-at-Carter brand of flying finishes, was the impetus needed to supply the game with a 3-2 victory over the Cape Girardeau Merchants Monday night at the softball field.

The Merchants, whose two runs picked up the first inning held sway until the last of the sixth, were in front of the All-Stars by one notch until this thrilling episode.

Bartholomew connected for a single, and Bruce topped it off with the three-bagger, following Bartholomew in home on a fielder's error for the winning run.

PERFECT FIELDING

For Sikeston it was a game of faultless fielding and of five hits for the Cape ten which Jimmy Law mixed thin and spread far.

By a fortunate sequence, the Merchants hopped into the lead at the start. Law's only walk issued put Mayhew on base, Bauer followed with a single and Herbst accounted for Cape's only extra-base hit with a three-bagger that scored the first two.

Although Sikeston got seven safeties, three of them for more than one lap, it was three errors in a row that gave the All-Stars their lone score, made in the second by Crain, until the blazing climax.

Law struck out three men, and "Flossie" Williams of Morley, in harness for the Merchants, did not gain a strikeout and did not walk any.

Sherry got a double and single in two times up.

The game was a benefit for Henry Bennett, ISCO pitcher who suffered a broken nose in a recent league game.

Cape Girardeau	AB	R	H	E
Mayhew, ss.	2	1	0	1
Bauer, lf.	3	1	2	1
Birk, rf.	3	0	0	0
Herbst, 3b.	3	0	1	0
Leher, cf.	3	0	2	0
Rudert, sc.	3	0	0	0
Nenninger, 1b.	3	0	0	0
Hellewege, 2b.	3	0	0	2
Kies, c.	1	0	0	0
Williams, p.	2	0	0	0
	26	2	5	4

Sikeston	AB	R	H	E
Bandy, ss.	3	0	1	0
Eaton, 1b.	3	0	1	0
F. Tope, 2b.	3	0	1	0
Bartholomew, 3b.	3	1	1	0
Bruce, lf.	3	1	1	0
Crain, sc.	3	1	0	0
Tandy, rf.	3	0	0	0
Puckett, c.	3	0	0	0
R. Sherry, cf.	2	0	2	0
Law, p.	2	0	0	0
	28	3	7	0

Cape Girardeau	200	000	0—2
Sikeston	010	002	x—3

Summary: Two-base hits, Tope, Sherry; three-base hit, Bruce; bases on balls, off Williams 0, off Law 1; struck out, by Williams 0, by Law 3; double play, Rudert to Kies; umpires, Mow, Deal T. Kirby; scorer, Leo Smith.

Adult male eagles are smaller than the females.

Dearmont's Manager Out for McDaniel

Another blow was delivered at the McReynolds - for - Governor movement and at the program of misrepresentation being directed by him at Lawrence McDaniel of St. Louis when R. K. ("Kent") Wilson, campaign manager for Russell L. Dearmont in 1932, declared in favor of the St. Louisan and agreed to take an active part in his campaign management. Wilson, always an anti-machine man and a strong individualist, is publisher of the Cash-Book at Jackson, Cape Girardeau County. In addition to an editorial stand taken in his newspaper, Mr. Wilson made the following statement to the press in general:

"In 1932, Mr. McDaniel went down the line for Russell Dearmont's campaign, which I managed, and I see no reason why I should dessert him now. He has always supported good men and, in many instances, rural men. In my estimation, he's never been a machine candidate and I certainly would not hold it against him that he is from the City of St. Louis. Not only his support of Dearmont, but his active interest in the campaign of Judge James M. Douglas for Supreme Judge in 1938 brands him as a man who thinks and acts independently. I have known him for many years and know him to be fair, capable and fearless in his official conduct. Furthermore, he has always been a regular Democrat and untiring in his work for the entire ticket in any election."

ELDER JOHN B. HUFFMAN DONATES FARM TO CHURCH

I have some farms in the State of Arkansas, and I have donated 132 acres of land in the woods, the first 40 being only about a half mile from the town of Williford. This entire tract I freely donate to the church building in course of construction on lots 18 and 19, block 18, McCoy & Tanner Third Addition to the City of Sikeston.

If any one who reads this wants to purchase this tract of land for cash, I will be glad to sell it and donate every penny of the sale price on the building fund, to pay on erection of this church building. Must have the cash in order to have for use in purchasing building material and paying for labor on the new church building, which will be known as "The Latter Rain Tabernacle."

Again, must thank every one who has donated any money toward the erection of this church building. Either hand to me in person, or send any donations to Elder John B. Huffman, Box 248, Sikeston, and I guarantee that every penny—and more—will be used in erecting this new church building. I thank The Standard for publishing the notice.

John B. Huffman.

Why bother to bathe—if your suit has "B. O." . . . As your friend, we feel duty bound to tell you, switch to a cool, clean, washable Palm Beach. Buckner-Ragsdale Co.

Start Is Made on New Mississippi Span at Chester

Chester, Ill., July 15.—Mayor E. J. Uffelman of Chester turned the first spadeful of earth today as excavation began for preliminary construction work on the $1,200,000 highway bridge that will span the Mississippi, linking Missouri Highway 51 and Illinois Highway f between Chester and Perryville, Mo.

The preliminary work calls for construction of two concrete pier footings on the Illinois side. Letting of contracts for other work is expected within two months.

It is estimated that construction of the bridge will require two years. It will be financed by toll revenue bonds.

With no bridge across the river now between St. Louis and Cape Girardeau, completion of the bridge will break a 130-mile long unspanned stretch of the Mississippi.

LUSK CHAPEL EXTENSION CLUB ORGANIZED

The newly organized Extension Club of Lusk Chapel met with Mrs. C. E, Morgan on July 5. Two new members, Mrs. Marjorie Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Vaughn, were added to the club.

Mrs. Helen Rhodes led the club in singing "Juanita." Prayer was led by Mrs. Vaughn and "A Daily Prayer" was read in unison.

The name "Industrious Homemakers" was chosen for the club. The motto: "All workers and no shirkers." The Standard of Achievement was reviewed by the president, Mrs. Fred Showmaker after which the club set their goal "To as nearly as possible reach the Standard of Achievement."

Mrs. Morgan's garden was inspected and method of storing onions and other vegetables was discussed. Mrs. Morgan gave a report on her garden, the number of cans of vegetables canned and discussed planting late garden.

The next meeting was announced for July 23, with Mrs. Showmaker, beginning at 2:00 p. m.

BOTTLE AFLOAT 30 YEARS IS SENT BACK TO JAPAN

Hoquiam, Wash.—A bottle tossed into the Pacific Ocean off Japan in 1910 was picked up on the beach here recently and sent back to the Japanese Government.

The find was made by Frank Burke who said he saw what appeared to be a mass of barnacles floating in the serf. Examination revealed the sea growth covered the bottle. A note inside, printed in Japanese and English, explained the bottle had been thrown into the water thirty years ago. The finder was requested to return the bottle with data on where it was found and the date.

Of the total motor vehicles registration fees collected by the 48 states during 1939, motor trucks paid 29.2 per cent, or approximately $99,000,000.

For Baby's Dress-Up Days

Crochet your very youngest a complete ensemble for her big-occasion days, and listen to her gurgle with delight. This little outfit includes a sweet cap to set her curls, a cozy sacque, and tiny bootees. Worked in Irish crochet, it is especially cunning for its shamrocks and rosettes. Baby garments will be judged in the Nation-Wide Crochet Contest this fall too, and this is the type of entry that might well win a prize. All entries must be made of mercerized crochet cotton, and must have won a first prize in a 1940 local, county, or state Fair. Directions for crocheting the set, and details of the Contest may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the National Needlecraft Bureau, 385 Fifth Avenue, New York City. Specify No. 544.

HOUSTON COTTONS TO COTTON

Cooperating with the National Cotton Council and the cotton exchanges of New Orleans, Memphis and Dallas, members of the Houston Cotton Exchange recently appeared on the floor for trading in full cotton outfits, giving practical emphasis to cotton clothing for men in the South. Standing before the board in their new cotton suits are (left to right) Exchange Secretary J. F. Burwell, President L. R. C. Towles, and Vice-President K. E. Womack. Shoes and belts are the only articles not made of cotton.

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New Moon

by BEATRICE FABER

SYNOPSIS

Marianne de Beaumanoir, belle of Paris, comes to New Orleans to take over a plantation left her by an uncle. On the boat, she has an encounter with a man whom she takes to be a ship's officer. So entranced is she that she wants to have a party for the ship's crew when the boat docks. Then she learns next day that they have stiled. But she is shocked to find that the "officer," is Charles, a bondsman sold to her plantation manager and now a servant of her household. As the days go by, she is aware of Charles' attractions but disapproves of him at the same time. Then, after a ball one night, she discovers that he is really the Duke de Villiers, celebrated Don Juan of Paris, for whom the King's police are now searching.

CHAPTER THREE

Dazedly, she looked at de Ribaud who had now risen to leave.

He said, "And so, with your permission, Mademoiselle, we will inspect your plantation, along with the others, in the morning. I've declared martial law and I can assure you, that by tomorrow, the Duke will be going back to France—in irons."

She nodded. "Leaving behind some other misguided woman, I suppose," she said quietly.

A few minutes later she was alone. Then she rang the bell-cord furiously and when Charles appeared, she demanded, "Where's your wig, Charles?" He stared. "Well," she said harshly, "lackeys wear wigs on duty, don't they?"

His eyes clouded over. "They may happen to be in a mood to forget such details, Mademoiselle."

"I'm not interested in your moods." She fixed him with her eyes. "So your name is Charles Michon?"

"Not much of a name, I'll admit," he said lightly. "Does it matter?"

"No name," she said icily, "is too small or too great to be disgraced." She was almost talking to herself. "And when a man takes unfair advantage of a woman's emotions he does disgrace himself." Yes, he'd been diverting himself with her a while ago, just as he'd done with the Princess de Caravail and all those other silly creatures who had lost their hearts to him. But that he should be sent back to his death was unthinkable. The man was too young to die. Besides, perhaps if he lived long enough, he might some day repent.

"Charles," she said bitingly, "you'll go and pack immediately. I'm selling you to the Marquesa de Villarosa at Baton Rouge. If you're found in New Orleans an hour from now I'll have you whipped. Here's a note to her."

"Whipped?" he asked incredulously.

"Yes, whipped," she cried. "You deserve to be whipped. I'm being merciful in selling you."

A furious color rose in his face. "Don't strain your mercy to its breaking point, Mademoiselle. I'll be glad to go and I'll ride fast."

He made a flourishing bow. "Adieu Mademoiselle. You are a foolish, spoiled aristocrat but thanks for the kiss—before I forget it."

Her voice rose in a hysterical shriek. "I have forgotten it." Then a torrent of tears poured from her eyes.

She was still weeping, just an hour later, when the belfry tower bell tolled. Then everything began to happen thick and fast. Brugnon burst in with the news that the bondsmen had broken loose. Some shots had been fired. A few had been killed. But the rest were gone on their stolen ship, the "New Moon," including the Duke de Villiers. They were well on their way to sea by now.

It was when Ribaud and the Governor were sitting in the library making plans to follow after them that very night in a commandeered battleship that Marianne made her decision. She too, would go along with them. There was nothing more here for her in New Orleans. Only Paris could bring solace again to her aching heart.

The "Fleur-de-lys," sailed in the morning and Marianne was wanly amused to note that it had a romantic mission too. Aboard was a consignment of brides from France on their way to Martinique where the boat would eventually arrive—after the capture of the "New Moon," of course.

They were well out to sea that evening when suddenly there came a roar of cannon. Marianne screamed and with the others ran up to the deck. Men were shouting and then there was a great deal of noise above and below. Another boat standing alongside.

Then she froze as she heard Charles' voice. He was talking to Ribaud. "No, my dear sir," he was saying, "I have not entered into piracy at all. It merely meant attacking before we ourselves were attacked."

Ribaud looked at him coldly. "I only know men by their deeds. In the name of His Majesty, the King of France, I place you, Charles Henri de Villiers, under arrest."

Charles smiled. "Technical to the last, eh, Monsieur?" He snapped to two of his men, "Confine this man to his quarters with due regards and suspicion." Ribaud was led away.

"Technical to the last, eh Monsieur?"

Now Charles began barking orders on all sides but finally Marianne made her way to his side.

He almost shouted with laughter as he saw her. "Oh, oh. Well. Welcome to my ship, Mademoiselle."

Her eyes flashed. "Impersonating captains seems quite your hobby doesn't it?"

Quite visibly, his jaw set. "State your request plainly and shortly, Mademoiselle."

"I demand to be taken back to New Orleans immediately."

His expression was glacial. "In due time, I'll dispose of you for the best, Mademoiselle. As you are no longer in a position to give me orders you'll please obey the rules I've established and wait, with the other women, for further instructions."

With a sudden gesture she tore her jeweled necklace from her neck and held it out. "I presume pirates like you can be bought. Is this enough to have me taken back to Louisiana?"

"Just enough," he said heavily, "to have you taken to the foc'sle, Mademoiselle de Beaumanoir." He called to one of his men. "Please lead the prisoner away."

Fuming didn't do any good and even helping to calm the frightened brides wouldn't put the thought of the man out of her head. But finally there was an ominous diversion. Out of nowhere it seemed, a storm came up. The winds howled and the sea heaved as if a giant were in its depths. The sails were reefed and it was all the two ships could do, to hold their own.

And then, the long, terrible night ended and when Marianne dared to go on deck at dawn, she saw that they had beached on a tiny island. She stood there in amazement as the men began to carry provisions ashore. Then suddenly she was swept off the boat and to the beach with the others.

Charles stood before them and addressed them all. To each he gave orders. The men would start to build, immediately. The women would sort the food supplies. Their job was to feed the men.

Aunt Valerie was quite outraged. "You certainly don't expect us to become milkmaids—or do you?"

Marianne spoke to her. "You can tell Charles that we are quite capable of doing anything expected of anyone else—whether it's cooking or milking a goat!"

Charles nodded soberly. "What a charming outlook." He turned to Father Michel. "The sixty young women will be under your guardianship as long as we stay here." Then his voice rose, "Friends, out of this shipwreck, we can realize an ideal for which most of us left France—the creation of a community where every man and woman will be given the right to live with decency and self respect." He dipped his hand into a seedbag and made a broad gesture. "Like these seeds, we begin a new life."

(Marianne is about to enter into an existence utterly alien to her former way of living. Can she find happiness in this simple community or will there be other hostile influences to broaden the gap between herself and Charles. Be sure to read the next romantic installment.)

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The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the positions listed below. The salaries given are subject to a retirement deduction of 3½ percent. Applications must be on file with the Commission's Washington office not later than the closing dates specified in each case. Two closing dates are given for receipt of applications—the first, for applications received from States east of Colorado; the second, for those received from Colorado and States westward. For the examination for Teacher in Indian Community and Boarding Schools two additional closing dates are given for receipt of applications from persons in Alaska.

Teacher in Indian community and boarding schools, Indian Field Service (including Alaska). Department of the Interior. Various optional branches are given, with entrance salaries ranging from $1,620 to $2,000 a year. Applicants must have had aproximately college education and teaching experience. They must not have passed their forty-eighth birthday. Closing dates for receipt of applications for the continental United States are August 12 and August 15, 1940; for applications received from Alaska the closing dates are March 15, 1941, if received from points south of the Arctic Circle, and May 15, 1941, if received from points north of the Arctic Circle.

Senior laboratory mechanic (glassblower), $2,000 a year. Applicants must have had experience in a scientific or experimental laboratory in the development, maintenance, and repair of laboratory instruments; and experience as a glassblower in the manufacture of laboratory glassware. They must have reached their eighteenth, but must not have passed their fiftieth, birthday. Closing dates are August 12 and August 15, 1940.

Cotton technologist, $3,800 a year; senior, $4,700 a year; associate, $3,200 a year; assistant, $2,600 a year; Department of Agriculture. Optional branches are: Yarn and fabric manufacturing; textile chemistry, dyeing and finishing; fiber technology. Applicants for the senior grade must not have passed their sixtieth birthday; for the other grades they must not have passed their fifty-third birthday. Closing dates are August 12 and August 15, 1940.

Senior cook, $2,000 a year, Prison Service, Department of Justice. Applicants must be qualified both as general cook and as bread baker, and must have had certain experience in a hotel, club, hospital, or other institution as chef, head cook, or in a comparable capacity in which it was necessary to provide food for a least 600 meals daily. Applicants must have reached their twenty-fifth, but must not have passed their forty-eighth, birthday. Closing dates are August 5 and August 8, 1940.

Full information as to the requirements for these examinations, and application forms, may be obtained from Frank E. Sibley, Jr., Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, at the post office or customhouse in this city, or from the Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at any first or second-class post office.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received in the office of the City Clerk, Sikeston, Missouri, up to five o'clock P. M., on Monday, the 22nd day of July, 1940, for furnishing material and labor in connection with the work of paving with concrete that portion of the roadway of Moore Avenue in the City of Sikeston, Missouri, from the south property line of Wakefield Avenue to a point sixty and eight tenths feet north of the north property line of Wallace Avenue, according to plans and specifications on file in my office, the work to be let as a whole and not subdivided.

All proposals must stipulate that contractor will accept in payment thereof Special tax bills issued against the property abutting on the improvement.

The pavement to be constructed is approximately 799.2 feet in length and approximately 27 feet wide between curbs.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. C. Barrett.
City Clerk, City of Sikeston.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Robert D. Lambert, Executor of the estate of H. D. Lambert, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executor at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be holden at Benton in said county, on the 5th day of August A. D. 1940.

ROBERT D. LAMBERT.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Mollie Goldstein, Executrix of the estate of Jacob Goldstein, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executrix at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be holden at Benton in said county, on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1940.

MOLLIE GOLDSTEIN

COUNTY CLERK'S NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION

State of Missouri)
)ss.
County of Scott)

Notice is hereby given, that a Primary Election will be held at the regular polling places in each precinct of said county of Scott, State of Missouri, and that the polls will be open between the hours of six (6) o'clock in the morning and seven (7) o'clock in the evening (unless the sun shall set after seven (7) o'clock when the polls shall be kept open until sunset), on the first Tuesday of August, 1940, being the 6th day of August, 1940, for the purpose of nominating candidates for State, District, County and Township offices, to be voted for at the General Election to be held on Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940; and for the purpose of electing Committeemen and Committeewomen for the several townships in the county.

That the hereinafter mentioned list contains the name and Post Office address of each candidate for nomination, together with a designation of the office for which he is a candidate, and the party or principle that he represents:

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State of Missouri)
)ss.
County of Scott)

I, Harry C. Watkins, Jr., Clerk of the County Court within and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct list containing the name and postoffice address of each candidate, together with a designation of the office for which he is a candidate, the party or principle he represents; also, the hours during which the polls will be open.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County Court. Done at office in Benton, this the 6th day of July, 1940.

(SEAL)

HARRY C. WATKINS, JR.,
Clerk of the County Court.

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"You may never get another chance to see New York."

Andy HARDY MEETS DEBUTANTE

SYNOPSIS

Palpitating with bliss, Andy Hardy carries on a secret romance with Daphne Fowler, New York society's top glamour girl. He knows her only from magazine photos which he collects in a scrapbook. In fact, so great is his infatuation that he is inclined to break off his "steady" attachment with Polly Benedict. But at an editorial meeting of the "Carvel High Olympian" magazine, Beezy gets hold of his scrapbook and gives him the laugh for his imaginary romance. Andy is forced to put himself on the spot by declaring that Daphne has invited him to her debut and would probably marry him if only he could get to New York.

CHAPTER TWO

Everybody was assembled in the living room that evening and Andy had the feeling that Dad was about to make some portentous announcements. When Dad got that funny crooked smile on his face something was in the wind.

Then suddenly, everybody noticed it was seven o'clock and Marian wasn't home.

"Why don't we call the police station?" Andy asked brightly. "Or the hospitals?" He had an even better idea. "Or the morgue?"

"Andrew!" his mother cried out in horror.

Just then the door opened and Marian burst in. She was obviously on the verge of hysteria. Incoherently, she told them what had happened. She'd run into Aldrich Brown, Junior, just released from his sentence of one month in jail which Dad had given him for a third offense of reckless driving. He had said he was turning over a new leaf and begged her to come for a drive.

Out of sympathy she had agreed. "But at the Inn where we had lunch," she said tearfully, "he insisted on taking a lot of drinks. When we got back in the car he drove all over the country, ninety miles an hour and then—near Belleville—he passed out cold and I had to drive back."

Grimly, the Judge took Andy outside where Aldrich was slouched stupidly over the wheel. The Judge's voice was deadly quiet as he said, "Andrew, when anyone laughingly tells you what an amusing time they had being drunk—" he pointed sternly at Aldrich—"this is what they really mean. Does it strike you as being funny?"

Andy looked at the grotesque figure of the drunken man. "No sir," he said in a scared whisped.

"Take a good look at him," the Judge went on. "He can't see or hear or speak. This is man, that glorious creature, touched with divinity, capable of great music, great poetry, great leadership—man. With a bottle of whiskey inside him."

Completely subdued for once, Andy said, "It certainly is awful."

Now the Judge resumed his normal manner, "Come on Andy, we'll straighten him out, best we can, then get him home to bed as secretly as possible."

Andy's eyes bulged a few minutes later as the Judge brought out a pitcher of ice water and flung it into Aldrich's face. "No siree Dad," he gasped. "I'm pretty sure I an't ever gonna drink."

The job of depositing Aldrich in his bed had been accomplished without even his folks suspecting and now the Judge faced his little family once again in the living room. "Well," he said pleasantly, "to make a long story short we're all going to New York City for a visit."

Everyone cried out in delight. Why that was wonderful! Marvelous!

All but Andy. He was utterly aghast. "New York!" After the way he'd gone on about Daphne Fowler?

"Yes," his father said briskly. "Seems I've got to lick a big New York law firm. They're saying the Trust Fund that Cyrus Carvel left for the Orphanage is invalid and I'm out to prove it isn't. How's that sound, Andrew?"

Andy moistened his lips and looked at his Dad wild-eyed. "But—I—can't—go—to—New York."

The Judge and all the others stared at him. "Will miracles never cease? Why?"

Andy raged, "What do we have to go to New York for? Why, in New York vice and corruption flourish rampant. Any newspaper will tell you that. New York's—a sink of—of—well, it's a sink anyway. And I'm not gonna go. I wouldn't be safe."

There was a confused silence. No one could understand it. The Judge said carefully, "You may never get another chance to see New York."

There were tears of horror in Andy's eyes. Why, think of all those things he'd said about Daphne Fowler, about being invited to her debut and her wanting to marry him and all. If he went to New York and didn't make good on that stuff, he'd be ruined here in Carvel forever.

"What's New York got that Carvel hasn't? Just some high buildings, that's all." His voice tightened. "And what do people do when they get in high buildings? They jump out of windows, that's what they do. I tell you, New York's a den of evil."

Aunt Milly was hiding a smile behind her hand. Marian and Mrs. Hardy just looked amazed. Judge Hardy scratched his chin. "Well son, New York is evil in some of its aspects. But then so is every village and city in the world. The fact remains, we're leaving for New York day after tomorrow." He looked around at all of them. "And by the way, this thing's a secret until Mr. Benedict makes it public. Remember that, Andrew."

Andy spoke hollowly. "It's okay with me to keep it quiet for the next ten thousand years."

By morning though the "secret" was emblazoned right on the front page of the Carvel Daily Star:

"HARDY FAMILY TO NEW YORK
Local Jurist to Fight Trust for Carvel County Orphanage"

And sure enough Polly called that day. There was malice aforethought in her voice when she got Andy on the telephone. "You'll be glad to know we're printing the story of your flaming romance with Daphne Fowler in the high school magazine. And remember, you'd better bring back a picture of darling Daphne and you to illustrate the story or else. Not a fake one either."

Up to the very minute of train time the next day, Andy tried every trick he knew to stay behind. There was a little hope when Aldrich Brown, Jr., came in. Maybe he and Dad would have a fight and then they'd miss the train.

But no, Aldrich, the big lug, had to apologize for last night and tell Dad he was getting a job on the newspaper and would Dad and Marian believe in him.

Even Andy's manufactured stomachache and fever didn't do the trick. His father just looked at him hard heartedly and said nothing short of heart trouble would keep them from taking him along.

Their first glimpse of New York as they crossed on the New Jersey ferry, did something to Andy though. Maybe he didn't approve of the big city but he could still retain his artistic appreciation of those skyscrapers. In fact, he was beginning to perk up a little as they walked into the maisonette apartment up in the "fifties" that had been engaged for them.

But as they opened the door, everyone gasped. "Why it's Betsy Booth," the Judge exclaimed. "What are you doing here?"

Andy stared in amazement. He hadn't seen Betsy Booth since last year when she was visiting in Carvel. She looked a little more grownup now and prettier—though still a mere child.

There was a lot of excitement as Betsy explained everything. Her folks had been away when Mrs. Hardy's telegram had come. So she herself had gotten an apartment for them. It had really been easy, no trouble at all. She had just called the real estate man and there it was.

"My," Marian said, "and you even hired a servant all by yourself?"

"Of course I did," Betsy returned proudly. Her adoring eyes were fixed on Andy.

Mrs. Hardy turned to him. "You see Andrew even in New York nice girls think more about growing up to be a good house-wife than dancing the—the rumba."

"Ah Mom." He was in the throes of acute embarrassment before Betsy, "It's the rumba."

Betsy sighed happily. "I brought over my own radio for you Andy." She suddenly realized that the lovelight in her eyes was too apparent. "It's—it's just common gratitude because back in Carvel Andy took me to my first grown-up party."

Andy went into the bedroom with his father and the Judge smiled teasingly. "Son, how do you do it."

"Aw gee Dad, she don't mean anything. It's only—his chest expanded. "—only hero worship."

"Well, my hero," the Judge said briskly, "let's get unpacked."

The worse has happened to Andy. Now he must make good his boast about Daphne Fowler. But in a large city like New York, getting to know a glamour girl will take some doing. Can Betsy help him? Be sure to read the next exciting episode.

FIRE

Washington, D. C.—If a forest fire were raging over all of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and Massachusetts, the doings of Mr. A. Hitler would be shoved off, or at least into a corner of, the front page—and recent developments have shown that it takes some pushing to shove Audacious Adolf around.

Conflagrations which make a raging inferno of an area greater than that of the four New England states do take place each year in this country—but because the damage is not concentrated in one place at one time, these catastrophes pass practically unhearlded, according to The National Wildlife Federation.

The devastation wrecked by these blazes is not of a blitzkrieg nature—rather it is a relentless process that goes on and on like Tennyson's brook, despite the best efforts of man to halt it. There isn't a day in the year, nor an hour in the day that a forest fire is not raging somewhere in the United States. Statistics show that there were on an average of 172,000 fires annually through the five-year period from 1933 to 1937. This is an average of more than 471 fires a day, or almost 20 an hour—one every three minutes. Most amazing of all, by far the majority of these fires are man-made, and one-third of the ravaged timber lands of our country are set afire on purpose by incendiaries or people who fire the woods because they want to.

DIFFERENT MOTIVES

Intentional burners are not all alike in motive. A large number have economic reasons for burning. When no feed has been stored to carry cattle through the lean period of the year, they almost starve before the new grass comes in the spring. Burning off the old dead grass enables hungry cattle to get at the new growth a few days sooner.

This trouble is encountered mostly in the South, but no section of the land is wholly free from people who annually set ablaze thousands of acres of valuable timber for no better reason than their fathers and grandfathers did it.

Unemployment is responsible for many fires. Despite all precautions to avoid hiring men to fight a fire who may have had something to do with starting it, some men will set a fire to earn a few dollars when no other job is to be had.

CARELESSNESS CAUSES IT

Taking our forest lands as a whole, incendiaries, careless campers and smokers are responsible for more than half of the staggering total of fires each year. On National Forest lands, where better protection is afforded than on state and private owned lands, the loss from incendiaries is far less, while that from smokers and campers is about the same.

The greatest factor in curbing the ever-threatening red destroyer is education and more education. Efficient methods of combatting fires once they have started are, of course, imperative, but much more efficient is the instillation of proper knowledge to prevent forest fires.

New England has a good fire record, but this has been partly the result of a low fire hazard in the past. Driving in the White Mountains one can see tourist after tourist flip a burning cigarette butt out of a car window without thought.

New England is right now facing the worst fire hazard situation in its history. The hurricane of September of 1938 smashed over some 14,000,000 acres and left some 2½ billion board feet of trees in an indescribable swirl and tangle of windthrown timber, drying on the ground.

If ever a fire gets started in that immense tinder box, it may well turn the terrain into a holocaust that will make even the hurricane itself seem a mild visitation by comparison.

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Clark Supporting Moore and Collet For Appeals Post

Chicago, July 15. — United States Senator Bennett Champ Clark of Missouri today disclosed to the Star-Times that he has recommended Federal District Judges George H. Moore and J. Saskie Collet for appointment to the Eighth United States Circuit Court of Appeals. Judge Moore is a St. Louisian, while Judge Collet lives in Jefferson City.

There are two places to be filled on the appellate court bench as the result of the passage recently by congress and approval by President Roosevelt of a bill increasing the court from five to seven members in order to take care of its congested docket.

Seven states comprise the district and, although Missouri already has one judge on the court—Judge Kimbrough Stone—it is anticipated that another Misourian will be named as almost 50 per cent of the appeals come from Missouri.

Senator Clark's recommendations were submitted to the Department of Justice in response to a request, and the department will make the choice between Judges Moore and Collet, in the event one or the other is named. Both judges owe their original appointment to Clark and both are held in highest esteem at the Justice Department.

Here along with Clark for the Democratic National Convention, Senator Harry S. Truman said he has not been requested as yet to submit recommendations and insisted he will make no commitments until requested to do so by the Justice Department.

It is understood, however, that among his recommendations will be Judge Ernest M. Tipton of the Missouri Supreme Court. As revealed exclusively in the Star-Times recently, Judge Tipton has been actively soliciting the job and many Missouri lawyers have written both senators in his behalf.

The probabilities are that Truman will make no recommendations until after the August 6 primary, in which he is a candidate for re-nomination.

The word has been passed along to Senator Clark that it is unlikely that President Roosevelt will make any nominations for the two new judgeships until fall. Should congress adjourn, meanwhile, the President would have to make recess appointments and, in the event he isn't renominated and re-elected, the recipients might find themselves without a job, as it would be within the province of another President to withdraw the recess appointments and name others.

BLANTON MIGHT GET POST

If either Judge Moore or Judge Collet is nominated and confirmed, a vacancy will occur on the United States district bench in St. Louis. It may be filled by District Attorney Harry C. Blanton, as he is one of Clark's choices for the job, it is known. Blanton is regarded by the Justice Department as one of the country's most efficient district attorneys.

Another possibility for the district judgeship is Ruby M. Hulen of Columbia, long one of Clark's strongest supporters.

Clark declined, however, to say whom he might recommend to a district judgeship, pointing out there is no vacancy at present.

President Roosevelt appointed Judge Moore to the federal bench in 1935 and Judge Collet in 1937.

United States circuit judges receive $12,500 a year, compared with $10,000 for district judges.

The Eighth Circuit covers Arkansas, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota. Present members of the court besides Judge Stone, whose home is in Kansas City, are Judges John B. Sanborn, St. Paul; Archibald K. Gardner, Aberdeen, S. D.; Joseph W. Woodrough, Omaha, and Seth Thomas, Fort Dodge, Ia.

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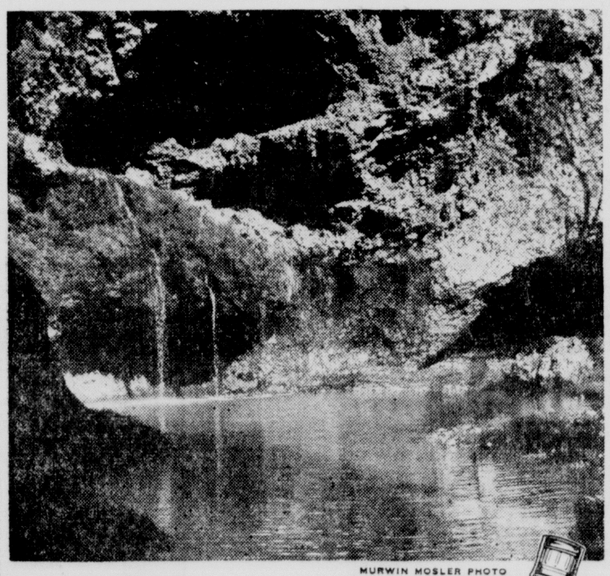

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WALTER ANCELL

NEW MADRID COUNTY
COUNTY ASSESSOR
J. W. DAUGHERTY

There was something pathetic about the statement of Senator McNary, when he was informed that he had been selected for second place on the Republican National ticket.

"I will be a good soldier and do the best I can," said the Oregon Senator. This sad utterance must be read in connection with the statement he made two days before he was drafted as the tail to Wendell Willkie's kite. Then he said, "The West which the Republicans must carry, will go against us if Mr. Willkie heads the ticket."

Senator McNary was one of half a hundred G. O. P. national legislators who announced that the choice of the utility magnate for the Presidential nomination spelled destruction to any chance for their party in the coming election. Another conspicuous prophet of disaster was Senator Thomas, Borah's successor in the upper House of Congress, who was quoted as saying that the naming of Willkie would be so definitely fatal to Republican hopes that he would not be a candidate for re-election. The Senator later back-tracked a little but there was no doubt of his distaste for the Willkie nomination.

Senator McNary had no reason to make a declaration along the Thomas line because his term as senator does not expire until 1943—and he is under no obligation to resign his post in order to "be a good soldier and do the best he can."

THE PUBLIC BE DAMNED

The reason advanced by the half hundred Republican legislators for their pessimism varied. Some of them thought it bad policy to name as their standard bearer a man who had held his allegiance in the Democratic party up to a few months ago. Others questioned the wisdom of nominating the head of a utility corporation at this time; others based their opposition on the candidate's total lack of experience in Government, and their doubts were not dissolved when York Times uttered these words: "The curse of democracy today in the United States as well as in Europe, is that every one has been trying to please the public."

A long time ago another head of a big corporation gained one sort of fame by putting the same thought into still briefer compass. That one said: "The public be damned."

Mr. Willkie has made no secret of his idea of a government's functions or the processes required for a successful administration. Most people have the idea that the welfare of the country includes such things, for example, as stepping in when starvation threatens a considerable number of the people, and curbing the exploitation of the many for the benefit of the few. But the Republican candidate very neatly defined his view of an administration in a newspaper interview reported by Merwin H. Brown in that all time Republican paper, the Buffalo News. He told the public then that "Government is nothing but big business and, if I am elected President, I will put the Government on a big business basis."

REMEMBER ELMER?

In view of these frank declarations it is not surprising that Big Business put over at the Republican convention the head of a Morgan merger the shares of which were unloaded on the public, at the height of the boom period at $27 a share and which have a market value for some time of from seventy-five cents to a dollar and a half.

It will be remembered that it was disclosed at a Congressional hearing that the Utility Companies originated the practice of flooding Congress with propaganda telegrams. Among others they had a freckled youth who testified that he was paid three cents for every telegram he sent. Elmer became famous in the headlines of that period. At Philadelphia Elmer was missing but evidently his soul went marching on for the delegates got identical telegrams by the bushel-basketful pleading with them to vote for Willkie at the same time the galleries were filled by Willkie shout-tickets that none, except those in ers admitted on privately-printed the know, were aware had been issued.

That was the "popular uprising" which defeated the candidates for whom the people of the various States voted in the primaries. Naturally the G. O. P. newspapers and orators are striving to put before the country a plain, rough man, another Lincoln, whose heart beats for the common people, and whose rise from humble beginnings in a Horatio Alger story. He became a corporation lawyer at the first opportunity and was such a success at it that they took him into the business and he has been a conspicuous Utility man ever since.

ANSWERING THE "CALL"

Nobody can find fault with that he was picked for the new job by the same people who picked him for his other renumerative jobs. It would have been an honest thing had they proclaimed boldly that he was their man, chosen for the place because of his peculiar qualifications, instead of pretending that there was a nation-wide call. When they needed a deft, highly vocal resourceful president for a utility holding company they chose Willkie. When they needed a President of the United States they bushwhacked a Republican National Convention into nominating Willkie.

There is one thing that must be said for the corporate hierachy; they know what they want and will spare neither money nor pains to get it.

The regular campaign promises to be a repetition to the pre-convention campaign. The Liberty Leaguers past, present and prospective, will permit their candidate to shout his pieces in any tone he chooses, and they will take care of the finances without regard to the pious declaration against large campaign contributions.

A million dollars is still a million dollars, whether it comes with a million names or figures in a single bank book.—Charles Michelson.

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FARM INCOME UP

In 1932, when wheat was selling at the lowest price in 300 years, the one-fourth of our population engaged in farming had vanished from the market as customers for city goods. But under the New Deal, farm income has doubled.

WORLD MARKET SUSTAINED

By buying up price-depressing wheat and cotton surpluses from the farmers and selling them to exporters, the federal government has helped farmers to retain their share of the world market. This export subsidy program coupled with the Trade Agreements Program has helped reopen farmers' export markets.

SURPLUSES SALVAGED

Where perishable farm surpluses glutted the market, the government has purchased them for distribution to families on relief. Since 1933 these purchases have totalled enough to load 5,000 trains of 45 cars each.

ELECTRICITY EXTENDED

About one-fourth of the farms of this country now have electricity as compared with 1 in 10 in 1932. REA loans will provide service to 600,000 farm families.

FARM FAMILIES REHABILITATED

Rehabilitation loans have enabled 600,000 destitute farm families again to become self-supporting. Tenants are becoming owners through the land-purchase program.

MONEY GOES TO TOWN

Farmers are now able to buy as much from the city as they did in 1929. Retail sales of rural general merchandise have gone up by 102 per cent since 1932. Farmers bought their share of the great increase in durable goods and autos.

HOME MARKET RESTORED

A world market for the farmer's staples has meant the revival of city factories. Farmers with foreign markets are farmers with money in their pockets. One-fifth of all the factory workers reemployed since 1932 have gone back to work because of increased purchases by farm families. Then those factory hands became purchasers too.

CITIES ARE BETTER FED

The cities get this surplus food to feed their needy people, and thus build up this country's health defense. The corner grocer also profits where surplus distribution is done under the Food Stamp Plan.

APPLIANCE SALES UP

Arrival of electricity on American farms meant purchase of farm machinery, stoves, washing machines, irons, refrigerators, water pumps, plumbing supplies.

DEBTS PAID OFF

Families borrowing under Farm Security have repaid nearly a third of the money loaned to them, and with their credit made sound are community assets, not liabilities.

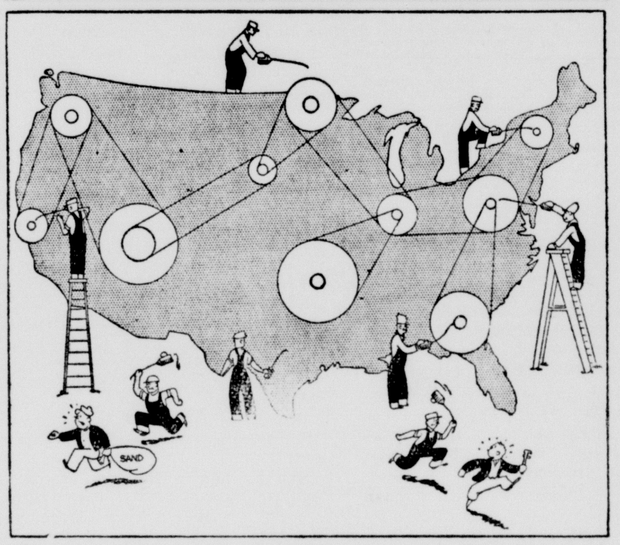
"The amount of commodities which farmers buy is necessarily limited by the purchasing power of their commodities in exchange for city goods and services. This is the heart of the farm income problem and the basis of an important part of the city business problem." — Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture.

Only persons who have been dead for 25 years are considered for memorials in the Hall of Fame.

COTTON FOR CAMPERS

Developed as an aid to campers and sportsmen, a new type of cot-covering made at Little Rock, Arkansas, may prove to be a profitable outlet for cotton, the National Cotton Council has announced. The covering, complete with steel frame, insect bar, and cotton canvas cover, can be assembled in less than a minute and provides protection from insects, rain, and cold.

We Need Oilers, Not Fellows Throwing Sand in Gears, Declares W. S. Knudsen



The above drawing is one of several being used in the July issue of GM Folks, monthly pictorial magazine for all General Motors employes, to illustrate a recent address by William S. Knudsen.

"I want to make a plea to everybody who works, be he on a machine, on a stool, in an office or a manager—let us see if there is not some way whereby the proper understanding can be given to all of us so that the industrial machine, which all have helped to create in our country, can be kept running smoothly, efficiently and with the minimum amount of shutdown for repairs."

This was the plea uttered recently in an address by William S. Knudsen, President of General Motors, a short time before he was appointed to supervise industrial production in the national defense program.

"Let us have the proper number of oilers, rather than fellows throwing sand in the gears," Mr. Knudsen continued. "We all love our country, and the differences which appear at times are mostly based on different approaches to the problem. But with a clear understanding of these problems by the parties involved there is generally one right way of doing the job."

CATTLE GRADING MEETING JULY 24 AT PARMA

New Madrid County beef cattle raisers are invited to a grading meeting Wednesday, July 24, at 7:30 a. m. at the C. H. Post farm west of Parma.

County Agent Herlinger says that E. S. Matteson, extension livestock specialist, will discuss feeding and other management practices. Also present will be a salesman from one of the commission houses on the St. Louis market to sort the cattle into the various market classes and give the prices they would bring at St. Louis.

Every farmer interested in raising or feeding out beef cattle is cordially invited to attend.

Among odd names of American cities and town are: Branch, Wis.; Buds, Ill.; Blossom, Texas; Leaf, N. C.; Petal, Miss.; and Stem, S. C.

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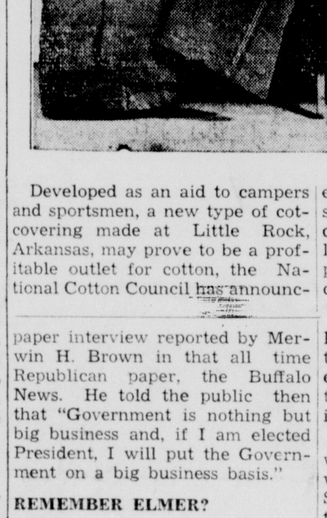

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4. A man dedicated to the highest ideals, and the best interests of society.

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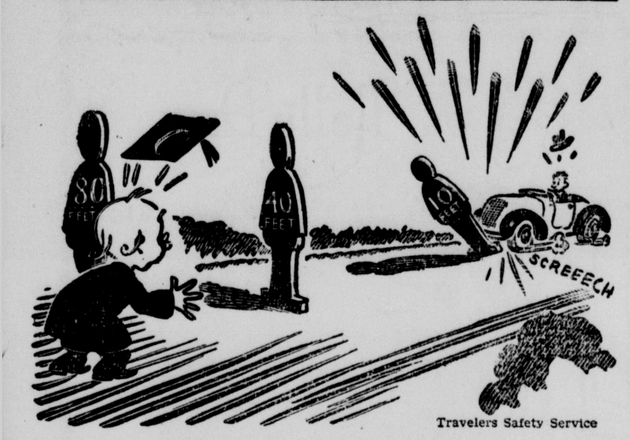
Auto Quiz No. 8



1. When you are driving 40 miles an hour in a car with good brakes on a dry, level, concrete road, the shortest distance in which you can bring your car to a full stop is—(a) 10 to 15 feet. (b) 25 to 35 feet. (c) 40 to 50 feet. (d) on a dime. (e) 80 to 100 feet. (f) 125 to 150 feet.

2. When you double your speed, the distance in which your car can be brought to a stop after you apply the brakes—(a) remains the same. (b) is doubled. (c) is trebled. (d) is quadrupled.

3. It is more economical to drive at moderate speeds than at high speeds. True (—) or False(—).

News of the Town

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter.—Phone 761W

Mr. and Mrs. Sharron Pharris went to Memphis, Tenn., Tuesday to meet Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Mocabee, who have been on a Carribean cruise, and accompany them to Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. L. Kinder were in Van Buren Monday and Tuesday where the men attended a F. S. A. meeting.

Miss Evelyn Bowman of Lilbourn is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bohanan this week.

Mrs. E. A. Earl and granddaughters, Edna, Elsie and Betty Earl of Fairfield, O., are visiting Mrs. Earl's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pitman and little daughter, and Mrs. Pitman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McMullin of near Bertrand, expect to spend Sunday with relatives in Crystal City.

Mrs. George Kirk, Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Frank Van Horne visited Mrs. L. L. Conaster in Parma Monday afternoon. Mrs. Conaster and two sons, Larry Lee and Jerry Mack, expect to poin Mr. Conaster in Kennett soon and establish their home there.

W. C. Bowman, daughter, Mrs. Wm. Shanks and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Bowman, visited the latter's son, Phil, at the Boy Scout camp, Camp Lewallen, Saturday.

Mrs. George Lee, Mrs. C. H. Harrison and Mrs. Marvin Carroll spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Union City, Tenn. with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Welch and their daughter, Miss Caroline, who have resided in Bradenton, Fla., for several years, are visiting relatives in Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Malone of Baltimore, Md., arrived Monday evening to visit their parents for several weeks.

Nadine, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fox, is suffering from a strepococcus infection of the throat.

Louis Graber transacted business in Dyersburg, Tenn., this week.

Miss Venita Edwards of Jefferson City arrived Wednesday to visit relatives in Morehouse and Sikeston for a week.

Miss Phyllis Harrison is expected to return home Sunday after a visit with friends in St. Joseph, Mo.

Mrs. Joe Crouthers, daughter, Miss Opal Crouthers, Mrs. Shirley Bloomfield, Miss Eleanor Righter, Bob Weber and Juanita Murphy, attended a Christian Endeavor rally at Union Grove, near Bloomfield Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Buford Baber and two children of Dexter spent several days here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Baker.

Mrs. E. P. Francis of Fredericktown was a week end guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carroll.

Mrs. Louis Graber went to St. Louis Wednesday to visit relatives for several days.

Mrs. William Corrigan and son are visiting her aunt, Miss Nell Sullivan in St. Louis, while Mr. Corrigan and his brother, James, of Poplar Bluff, are making a motor trip west.

Mrs. Betty Matthews had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Klein and daughter, Miss Camille, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Matthews.

Mrs. Meredith Lee returned from Poplar Bluff Thursday after spending several days there as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harold Brase.

Mr. and Mrs. James McClellan had as guests in their home Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Linus Evans of Fredericktown, Mrs. Maxine Thomas and Mrs. Mayme Eskridge of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Sutterfield have moved from the Sutterfield Apartments to the Duncan property on South Scott and Daniel.

Miss Polly Lewis of Caruthersville came Sunday to visit Miss Ruth Struwe.

Mrs. James Malone and her sister-in-law, Mrs. G. C. Baker, Jr., were hostesses at a bunking party at the G. C. Baker, Sr., home last Friday night, followed by a buffet breakfast Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCormick of Webster Groves were week end guests of the former's cousin, Mrs. Ben Carroll and Mr. Carroll. They returned home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stewart, daughter, Janet Sue, and Mrs. Stewart's mother, Mrs. Wm. Swinney, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Childs and family in Bloomfield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee were guests of relatives in Cape Girardeau this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson, their daughter, Betty, and son, Billy, expect to leave Saturday for a vacation trip to Michigan resorts. They also plan to visit the national music camp at Interlochen, Mich., while away.

Mrs. Scott Alexander of Charleston was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Matthews Wednesday.

The Woman's Junior Chamber of Commerce will enjoy a swimming party and picnic supper at Chaffee next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Billy Keith left Saturday for Bosworth, Mo., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodyard for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Matthews, son, Billy, daughter, Miss Betty Jo and Bois Reed Council, expect to attend a picnic for A. & P. store managers and employes at Lake Killarney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Baker were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Buford Baber and family in Dexter Saturday night and Sunday.

The Beta Sigma Phi Sorority had a porch party Monday night at the home of Miss Helen Virginia Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graber and son, Marlin, went to Camp Daroma, Holly Springs, Miss., Sunday where Marlin will spend two weeks.

E. J. Keith went to St. Louis Wednesday to spend the remainder of the week.

Mrs. Ronald Lee and Phyllis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Morrow, of this city, underwent tonsillectomies at Cape Girardeau Monday.

Bill Shain and John Hitt spent Tuesday in St. Louis.

Trudie Conrad returned to her home in Flat River last Thursday, after visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jos. Johnson, for several days. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Mary Ellen Johnson, for a visit.

A BALE TO A TIRE

Manufacture of another tire as large as the one shown above would require more than a bale of cotton points out Everett R. Cook of Memphis, president of the cotton Research Foundation, new uses division of the National Cotton Council. The body of this largest tire in the world weighs 2,642.7 pounds, and has a carrying capacity of 45,800 pounds. Second largest single outlet for cotton, the tire industry consumes in excess of 500,000 bales annually. Seeking to protect the tire market from encroachments of rayon, the Foundation recently has filed patents on processes for making stronger cotton tire cords.

Leonard Colley and Russell Cockrell accompanied their cousin, Mrs. Bill Barrett and family to Metropolis, Ill., Sunday, and returned to Sikeston that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Elmore of St. Louis visited the former's mother, Mrs. Ananda Elmore, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. B. L. Schubel and daughters, Lois, Kathryn and Barbara of St. Louis, arrived Sunday to visit the former's mother, Mrs. Amanda Elmore for a week.

Sikeston Standard $2 per year.

GET FREE TELEPHONE CALL AT WORLD'S FAIR

Sister Mary Peter, superior at St. Francis Xavier School her, had a unique experience this summer at the New York World's Fair. In visiting the telephone exhibit, which allows one person out of so many hundred to make a free telephone call anywhere in the United States, she happened to be the selection. She called Mrs. T. A. Slack of Sikeston, who is in a sanitarium at Tucson, Ariz.

In 1907, Sequin, Me., had 2734 hours of fog.

SEVERAL OF NEW MADRID COUNTY ON COTTON TOUR

New Madrid County was well represented on the Stoneville, Mississippi, ginners' and farmers' tour, according to County Agent Herlinger.

Twelve of the 37 farmers and ginners present were from this county. Of greatest interest to the delegation was the cotton "zoo," where the cotton geneticist has almost 2400 strains of more than 400 varieties of cotton from all over the world. This botanical garden is on the Delta Experiment Station. The group also visited the Cotton Laboratory, the Cotton Quality Testing Laboratory, and the plantations of the Stoneville Pedigreed Seed Company and the Delta and Pine Land Company.

New Madrid people on the tour included Arline Avery, Ott Burnett, R. P. Christeson, Gus Riceman, Fred Gesko, V. E. Hammock, E. V. Jewett, C. W. Jones, Harold Sloas, C. S. Smith, A. F. Tinsley, W. T. Watson and County Agent Herlinger.

REV. J T. SELF PERFORMS DOUBLE WEDDING

In a double wedding ceremony, performed at the home of the Rev. J. T. Self north of Sikeston Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, Miss Gwendolyn Freeman became the bride of Donald Louis Cloin and Miss Winifred Morgan became the bride of James Chester Elder, all of Malden. Both young couples will make their home at Malden, where the grooms are engaged in farming.

FARMERS OBTAIN HIGH WHEAT YIELDS

Louis Dohogne of Oran obtained 45 bushels of wheat per acre in one field just threshed. At Kelso, Andy Heisserer with a crop inciuding barley obtained 46 bushels. The Heisserer average yield was more than 20 bushels per acre.

MRS. W. C. REID IS BRIDGE LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Mrs. W. C. Reid was hostess at a bridge luncheon in her home on East Gladys last Friday, to the following guests, Mrs. Alma G. Copeland, Mrs. Jere Holly, Mrs. Jack Rushing, Mrs. Ralph Rushing, Mrs. Marcus Limbaugh and Mrs. Carl Hughes, all of Cooter, Mo., Miss Ethel Harty of Cape Girardeau and Mrs. David Lumsden of Sikeston.

Live sponges would not be recognized as such by the layman. Some of them resemble raw beefsteak.

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2. d. is quadrupled. The energy in a moving body increases not in direct proportion to speed, but as the square of the speed . At 40 miles per hour, therefore, it takes four times the braking distance to stop the car that it would at 20. At 60 miles an hour it would take nine times the distance.

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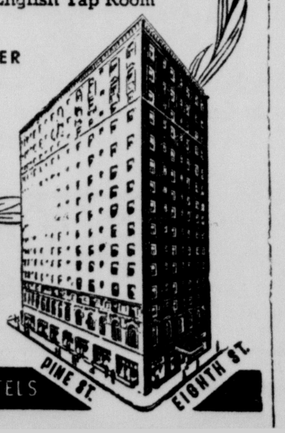

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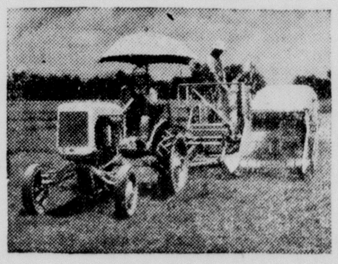

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MORLEY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kirkpatrick and daughter, Judy of Benton, visited here Sunday.

Misses Glenda Ruth May and Betty Watson spent the week end at the Less Watson home at East Prairie.

Mrs. Richard Whittaker of Fredericktown is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maude Daughtery.

Mrs. Robert Eachus of St. Genevieve is visiting at the W. M. McDonough home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cummins of Sikeston visited Mrs. Cynthia Cummins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Daughtery and children are visiting relatives at St. Louis.

Miss Ada Camille Adams of Cape visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Daughtery of Festus spent the week end with relatives here.

Misses Barbara Foster and Julia Strickland of Cape Girardeau visited Mr. and Mrs. John Foster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shores and children of Lansing, Mich., spent the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Shores.

Miss Vonda Brasher of Cape visited friends here Sunday.

Misses Helen Beardslee and Margaret Thacker and Will Daughtery and Alden Stallings visited at Fredericktown Saturday.

The Methodist Missionary Society met Thursday at the country home of Mrs. L. M. Taylor. Mrs. U. G. Ragains was leader of the program.

Mrs. Ella Stallings and daughters, Camille and Mrs. S. H. Dixon, spent Thursday and Friday at Rector, Ark. visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beardslee.

Mrs. Mayme Eskridge, Mrs. Maxine Thomas and Walter Meryet of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Linus Evans of Fredericktown, Mrs. Ella Evans and son, Don, of Sikeston visited Mrs. Elmyra Bynum Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Daughtery, Misses Camille Stallings, Norma and Juanita Bryant, Mildred Foster, Hazel Hitt, Nadean Vaughn, Mary Watson, Margaret Utnage and Meta Jean Mason left Saturday to spend a week at the Baptist Assembly at Van Buren.

ORAN NEWS

Billy Poe and George Patterson left Sunday afternoon for Arcadia where they will attend the young people's institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bohanan an son, Bobbie, of Sikeston and Mr. and Mrs. Jaul Lowes of Cape Girardeau were here Sunday.

Mrs. Dove Reynolds of St. Louis came last week for a visit at the J. F. Crader and Art Sturgeon homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Crader, Mrs. Rachel Crafton, Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Sturgeon spent Sunday in Bollinger county at the old Crafton home and with relatives they had not seen for a number of years.

Linda Lois, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crader, is spending this week in Sikeston.

Wm. Oliver and Mr. and Mrs. John Metz of Chaffee attended services Sunday night at the Baptist Church.

Miss Hanora McCarty came home last week from a sight seeing Eastern trip.

Cletus Crader went to St. Louis Friday to accompany his wife and baby home Sunday from a visit with her folks.

Mrs. Geo. Stehr entertained relatives from Cape Girardeau one day last week.

Miss Georgie Lou Douglas has returned to St. Louis after a couple of weeks at home.

Postmaster Otis Bryeans was a business visitor in St. Louis last week.

Asa Ventres from Marble Hill was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Baty, Sr., have gone to St. Louis for a two weeks visit with their daughter.

Members of the Graviett family were in Kentucky Friday for the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Pauline Reichert came home Sunday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Jess Reeves in Cape Girardeau.

CROSSROAD NEWS

Miss Willie Jean Cox spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Ray Owen, of Sikeston.

Jack Greasy was the guest of Eugene and Beverly Saulsberry Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Hunt of Cairo, Ill. is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. James L. Harmon and family.

Ray Holden and children, Bettye Jean and Shirley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cox Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Harmon and family were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harmon, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anderson of Bernie, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Larker and children left Friday to visit friends and relatives in Augusta, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Herby Johnson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Pearson.

Miss Dorothy Harmon is spending this week with her grandmother, Mrs. Pauline Moser, of Sikeston.

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How to be Your Own Decorator

Gay Summer Pottery and Linens

In speaking of summer decorating, I have been rather stressing the fun of outdoor living on porch and terrace and the use of inexpensive but gay pottery for a change from your usual china.

Just as you take down heavy curtains and replace them with sheer nets and muslins and take up wool rugs and put down an attractive fibre or just scatter rugs for the summer, it is a good plan to put away nice china, glass and linen, as well as silver trays, pitchers, dishes and possibly a tea and coffee set, and substitute yellow, blue, or figured pottery, red or blue glass, an ice tea set which may come in a convenient tray holder, and the effective tin trays which are to be found pretty generally in shops everywhere.

With this pottery and colored glass, colored table cloths, doilies, and napkins maybe used and come in all sorts of materials: paper, straw mats, washable pyroxylin, cellophane, cotton, linen—"novelties" they are often called but by any name they are beguiling and worthy of your attention. As in china and glass, there is something attractive to suit your pocketbook. What you want to consider in purchasing new things or in putting together what you have, is the right combinations. Have a definite color scheme. Lots of us have Early American furniture of maple, or other light wood, others have walnut or mahogany tables. For place mats remember that with the yellow tone in the maple, blues and greens, in light tones look well, but in yellow the tone must be strong for pleasant contrast, and that out and out red is better than pale pink. Pink and maple are not good together. The dark woods take any color becomingly—just as beige place mats go anywhere. If you use plain colored mats let your pottery be figured. The pretty foreign wares show figures, flowers and fruits as decorations and the plain mats act as a base to set them off. If, on the other hand, you have figured mats, use plain colored china or even cream or white china. Don't let your table be dizzy with pattern. Balance it carefully. Also be sure that the glass you choose fits the type of china or pottery in color and in form. And perhaps most important of all is to urge that, while you may be gay and frivolous, do not overcrowd. Set each place as it should be set and have an amusing or a lovely centerpiece (which often may be both), but organize your table so that you keep masses together. That is, let your centerpiece be a unit with the bare table between in and the ends of the table, and each place a unit. Don't have an odd lot of small candy dishes or too many salt and peppers. Table setting is an art really and requires a little thought and with taste many charming schemes may be avolved! With pottery plates there are pottery figures which at lunch may replace candlesticks on each side of a bowl of flowers or of fruit.

Decorative pottery

Painted metal

★ GIFT PREVIEW ★

The bride will treasure, this Louis XV coffee table with an antiqued white an dgold finish and a glass top.

The house fly is fully grown when it is hatchea.

This Week in Missouri History

Joseph Aloysius Corby

Joseph A. Corby, who as a civic and industrial leader did much to make St. Joseph the metropolis of the Platte Purchase during his lifetime, came to St. Joseph when he was only twenty years old and made it his home for sixty-two years.

He was born of Irish parentage in Cincinnati, Ohio, on July 25, 1847, ninety-three years ago this week. When he first came to St. Joseph, at the age of twenty, he was assistant city engineer. The next year he engaged in an abstract and real estate business.

In the decade of the 1870s Corby came into real prominence. He purchased the St. Joseph Gazette at public auction for $25,000 in 1873, but sold the paper two years later. In 1876 he built and began operating the Frederick Avenue street railway, the first street railway in the city, and within the next year he built the first telephone line there.

He built a telephone line from St. Joseph to Atchison, Kansas, in 1881, said to have been the first telephone line connecting two cities west of Buffalo, New York. The line between St. Louis and Kansas City was completed four years later. Corby also built the first telephone exchange in Atchison and assisted in organizing the Missouri and Kansas telephone company. During the same year, 1882, he built the Pacific Mutual telegraph line in St. Joseph which two years later extended to Omaha, Nebraska. This later became a part of the Postal Telegraph system.

At the same time that he was extending telephone and telegraph facilities into the area about St. Joseph, Corby built the first electric light plant there. He managed this concern for six years, then sold it in 1889. He also built the first electric railroad in Denver, Colorado, in 1891, but sold his interest there also. He become president of the Corby-Forsee building, the first fireproof office building in St. Joseph.

Although he was very young at the time of the Civil war, Corby ran away to join the Union army. He became captain of the "Saxton Rifles" of St. Joseph in 1881, and later lieutenant colonel of the fourth regiment of the Missouri national guard. With this body of men he was mustered into the United States army in 1898, but the regiment saw no active service as it did not leave the United States. It was demobilized the next February.

Corby led in many St. Joseph civic enterprises. He served for many years as president and moving spirit in the Buchanan county society for the relief and prevention of tuberculosis, and under his leadership this society became, in the words of a local physician, the "social conscience" of St. Joseph.

As the president of the city board of health he managed a campaign to improve the production and distrubition of milk in St. Joseph, and again he drew the praise of the medical profession, which called his work "revolutionary."

Corby was made a member of the State board of charities and corrections by Governor Gardner in 1919. He was a member of the Catholic church and of the Knights of Columbus, having served as a Master of the fourth degree in that order. Politically, he was a Democrat.

When the Buchanan county historical society was organized in 1920 Corby was elected its president. From December 15, 1920, until the end of his life, he was a member of the executive committee and a trustee of the State Historical Society of Missouri.

Corby was a nephew of John Corby, early St. Joseph philanthropist, businessman, banker, and railroad builder. Joseph A. Corby died on October 19, 1929, and was buried in Mount Olivet cemetery at St. Joseph, Missouri.

Safetygrams

BY FRED W. BRAUN © The Safety Man

Today I want to tell you about the black and white signs for highway markings.

Black and white signs are all oblong, placed either vertically or horizontally. Vertical oblongs are for regulations—speed limit, no U turn, keep in lane, drive to the right, no parking. Horizontal oblongs carry informative material—distances to various cities, name of towns and rivers, state lines, city limits, historical landmarks.

Besides these black and white arrows are used to indicate direction—one-way street.

In future issues I will discuss the use of these signs as well as their abuse.

Alloy steels containing cobalt are highly magnetic and are often used as permanent magnets in electrical apparatus.

TENANT PURCHASE TO BE EXTENDED IN MISSOURI

Twenty additional counties will be added to the original thirty-eight in which the tenant purchase program of FSA has been operating, according to a recen t announcement from Washington. The newly designated counties includes Andrew, Barry, Callaway, Cass, Chariton, Dade, Dent, Harrison, Henry, Lewis, Lincoln, Livingston, Morgan, New Madrid, Perry, Pettis, Ralls, Ray, Scotland and Scott. A total of approximately $1,658,000 has been allocated for purchase loans in Missouri during 1940-41.

UNUSUAL CHURCH FAMILY AT BLODGETT

At the evening worship last Sunday in Blodgett Church two sons and two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Graham made the Christian profession and united with the church. At the same time three younger daughters were christened. In the services were two older sons and an older daughter, already members of the church. Altogether, a family of twelve—father and mother and 10 children—was present. There are two daughters in St. Louis and they, too, are members of the Blodgett Methodist Church. There have been 14 children in this family, including two sets of twins. Mr. Graham is a prominent farmer of the Blodgett community. A revival campaign is in progress in the Blodgett Church. Rev. J. J. Willis is the pastor. Rev. J. C. Montgomery, pastor of the Charleston Methodist Church, is doing the preaching for the campaign. This is the second time Mr. Montgomery has been called to preach for a revival in the Blodgett Church.

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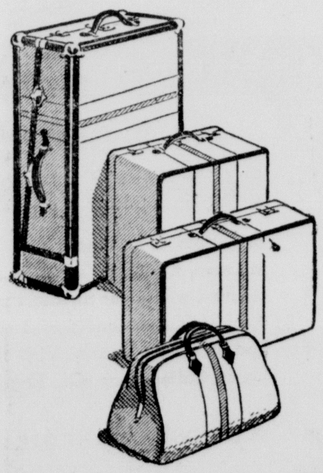

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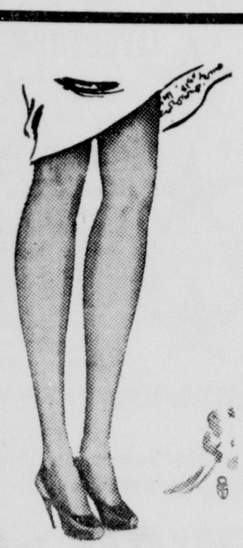

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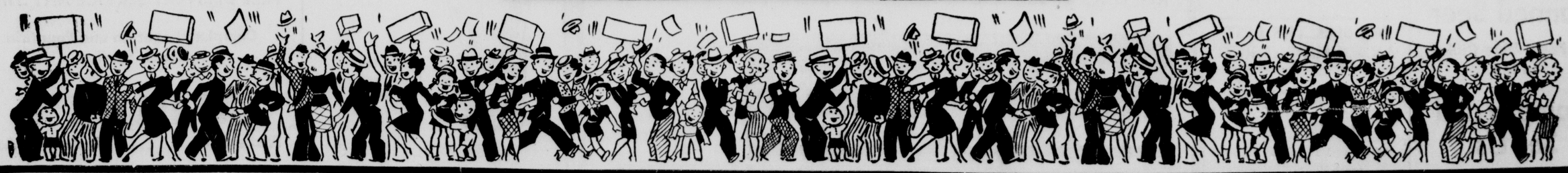
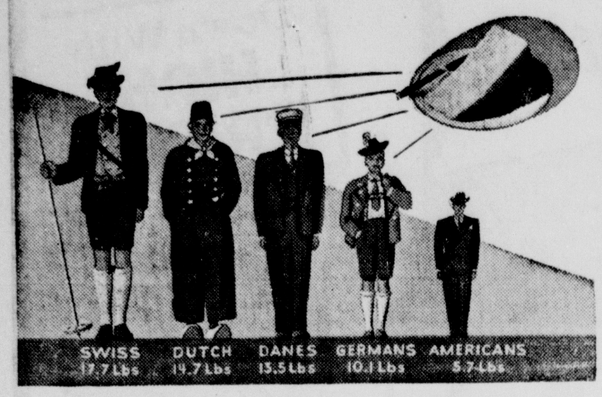


Americans Need to Eat More Cheese



Is cheese an item on your regular bill of fare? How much cheese do you eat in a year?

Probably the answer to those questions will depend on where you live, for one thing, and where you or your parents were born. Americans eat about 5.7 pounds yearly, which is a small amount when compared with the 17.7 pounds eaten yearly by the Swiss citizen, 14.7 pounds by the Hollander, and 13.5 pounds by the Dane. A study of a cross-section of families, 3,000 in number, in one large city of the United States revealed that only 37 per cent of the families surveyed were eating cheese at all.

Cheese gives good returns for your money, says the National Dairy Council, for the food value is very high and it is available in appetizing variety. It is really a concentrated form of milk, and provides additional ways to include the food essentials of milk in family meals. About five quarts of milk are required to make one pound of cheese.

The Arabs, at one time one of the strongest and noblest races of the world, subsisted largely on milk and cheese, with moderate amounts of meats, cereals and dates. Scientists can now explain that this diet produced a superior race because it contained generous amounts of protective foods, particularly cheese and milk.

Washington Comment

For the first time since William McKinley was chosen to head the ticket in 1900, Philadelphians have had a chance to see a Republican national convention on the home grounds. The excitement did not run so high as on some other occasions, but there was a hearty contest, which was brought to an end by the customary voluntary retirement of candidates, and substantial unanimity prevailed at the close.

Those who study political conventions as such, and without party prejudice, will incline to the view that the meeting followed the traditions, and indicated that a changing world is satisfied with standardized procedure in picking a Presidential candidate. It is unlikely that the coming Democratic convocation will present anything new for investigation, so far as convention structure and operation are concerned.

The welfare of the public at large has been promoted by the circumstance that the Republicans at no time were faced by the distressing condition known as a split, and there is comfort in the practical certainty that the Democrats will advance in a unitary and compact formation. No war was ever won by snipers. Consolidated armies are necessary, the individual soldier being left free to enlist as his judgment and conscience dictate.

In spite of such hard words as "machine" and "boss", political parties have a function and a utility of no mean proportions. Not only do they afford opportunity for effective team work, but they tend, as well, to discourage the unsound practice which consists in following men, rather than principles. Probably it was the personality of Theodore Roosevelt, more than the conviction that the Republican party was in a state of decay, that gave rise to the Bull Moose movement. Few who sat under the spell of Mr. Bryan's words will admit that anyone else could have drawn votes to the Free Silver ticket quite so effectively as the "Great Commoner".

Thus it comes about that garments of Democratic or of Republican cut are more than a mere prison garb, or the livery of a menial and undignified service. Giving due credit to the man who has the courage to stand alone, it is through concerted mass movements that most has been accomplished for the betterment of government and the promotion of the common good.

The political line up which will take place during the approaching months is wholesome. Speaking in a military sense, the country is said to be unprepared, and that fact is deplored generally. The same condition of affairs does not exist as to politics. Making proper allowance for Democratic claims that all is over but the shouting, and Republican allegations that the voters are simply waiting for an opportunity to cast the New Deal into the discard, each party retains the potency which accompanies organization. Neither will have the temerity to go too far, under the assumption that nothing can be done about it.

The phrase "What are you going to do about it?" was impressed on history by the late Bill Tweed, who in the days of our fathers or grandfathers ruled New York City with a heavy hand, and none too clean a hand at that. Those who believe in reincarnation may advance with propriety the theory that the spirit of Tweed found a new dwelling in the body of Hitler. For a long time, there seemed to be no way of stopping the small scale tyrant of the eighteen seventies. Right now, there appears to be no answer to the question "So what?" which comes from beyond the seas. William M. Tweed closed his eyes forever in a Manhattan jail. The future may have a similar reply ready for the Fuehrer.

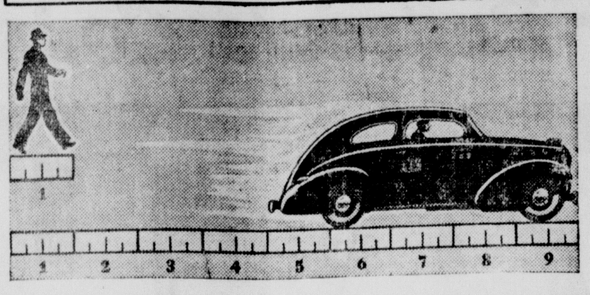
At this writing, Congress has just voted itself a ten-day recess from torrid Washington after cleaning up a number of controversial matters, not the least among them being final approval of Mr. Roosevelt's choice for the portfolios of War and Navy. The President, by the way, took a leaf out of Woodrow Wilson's notebook in selecting a newspaperman for his Secretary of the Navy; the World War Executive, you may recall, appointed Joseph Daniels, owner of the Raleigh News and Observer, to run the Navy, with Franklin D. Roosevelt as his first Assistant; now Mr. Roosevelt, with a second World War raging, chooses that stalwart editor, Col. Frank Knox, to help him put across the stupendous task of building and directing a two-ocean Navy. Regarding the new Secretary of War, we should remember that he is really "General" and not "Colonel" Stimson, as most people seem to think. The records show that he was promoted to Brigadier General in the Reserve Corps on June 16, 1922. He actually served in that capacity at maneuvers at Pine Camp, New York in June 1926 when he commanded the 152d Field Artillery Brigade, retiring later in 1931, on reaching the statutory age limit of 64. When the World War closed, as "Colonel" Stimson, he was commander of the 31st Field Artillery Regiment of the Regular Army . . . . .

Signs of the times around Washington: U. S. jobs have reached an all-time high, expanding under the impetus of the defense program. As a result, Washington is again about to face a housing shortage, comparable to some extent, to conditions during the World War. At any rate, apartment vacancies, which customarily increase during the summer months, are decreasing rapidly with addition of 1,260 employes to Federal agencies in a single month, and the expectation that there will soon be 30,000 new job holders. We already have 130-937 employes in the executive branch staff in Washington, with a local monthly payroll of $23,-298,161. It is estimated unofficially that employment since May has raised the total Federal force over the million mark, which would be around 100,000 above the World War peak . . . . Uncle Sam's total number of employes, in case you are interested, is placed at 977,-880 and his total monthly payroll at the neat little sum of $125,-907,134, but just wait until the defense program gets really under way and watch those figures skyrocket! . . . . . The ladies are not to be outdone in the rush for national defense, either. Not content with providing "Bundles for Britain", "Friends for France," Red Cross aid for various other stricken European nations, and keeping the home fires burning along the Democratic and Republican fronts the gentle, tireless creatures hereabouts are planning an army of a million women to be called "The Green Guard Volunteer Women of America." It appears to be a sort of ladies sharpshooters' brigade, growing out of the month-old Woman's National Rifle and Preparedness Association, and is pledged to aid Uncle Sam if he needs them. As might be expected, the uniform was selected before the organization even thought of getting under way. It's a snappy green number with a Robin Hood feather in its cap, said to be "unusually becoming." (Privately, we predict that the G. G. V. W. A. will be joined only by those ladies who look well in green!) . .

Almost on the heels of the fireworks attendant upon Mexico's selection of a new President (an event pretty nearly fatal to a number of visiting Washington students who had the bad luck to get in range of the ballots, or bullets, which in this case were synonomous) our State Department was presented with a check for $1,000,000 by the Mexican Ambassador, Dr. Castillo Najera, as an installment in payment of claims of American citizens whose Mexican lands have been expropriated since August 20, 1927. Payments thus far made are being held by the American Government because of failure of a joint commission to adjudicate claims . . . . .

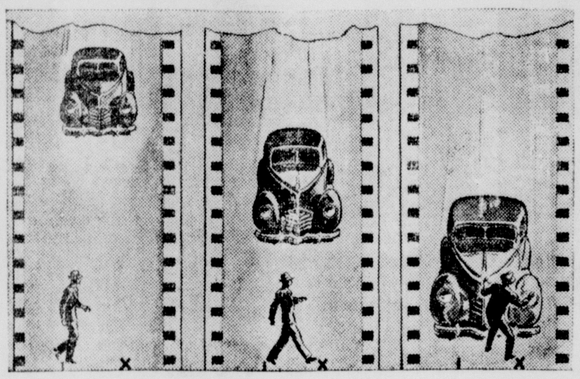
If you're planning a vacation hop to Bermuda, or expecting a visit from Aunt Minnie in Canada, don't forget about the new regulations requiring passports. Ditto for the Dominican Republic, or if you want to take a peek at "Wally" and the Duke at Nassau! . . . .

Remember This Ratio—1 to 9



While a pedestrian takes one step and advances one yard, an automobile driver at a mere 30 miles an hour advances nine yards This is simple arithmetic, says "Smash Hits of the Year," latest booklet published by The Travelers in its safety crusade, but few persons stop to realize it. It is especially true that adults who have never learned to drive have little or no conception of the vast differences between walking speeds and vehicle speeds.

The simulated movie strip below shows what is likely to happen when a walker underestimates the speed of an approaching car.



ATTACK ON ENGLAND WILL BEGIN FRIDAY, ROME SAYS

New York, July 16.—The British radio tonight in a broadcast picked up by the National Broadcasting Co. quoted the Rome radio as saying that "the attack on England will start this Friday night."

BETTY ANDERSON HAS BUNKING PARTY

Betty Anderson was hostess at a bunking party one night last week, with the following friends as guests. Barbara and Mary Ellen Sensenbaugh, Sarah Sue Keller, Pat Ellise and Betty Hirschberg.

Missouri Melange

Cats adopt birds, a squirrel hitch-hikes on the back of a dog, a sheep goes hunting with dogs, and now a cow adopts a pig, the runt of a litter of eight recently farrowed on the Ed Bozarth farm near Paris, Mo. Learning the technique of standing up at mealtime, the porker now outweighs the rest of the litter.

One of the largest real estate deals ever closed in Lincoln county, states the Silex Index, was consummated recently when R. A. Black, of St. Louis, purchased the 420 acre farm belonging to the R. E. Black estate for $70,000.

Prospects now point to a bumper Elberta peach crop in southern Missouri. Picking will start about August 1 with a strong market predicted. The extreme cold weather of last winter with its resultant destruction of trees, is expected to hold peach prices firm to higher over preceding seasons.

Do you have any tapirs, capybaras, or patagonian cavies you want to trade? The Kansas City zoo is looking for such animals and offer in trade two 20-month-old tiger cubs, and two 2-year old leopards.

Fishermen will approve of this —twelve new rearing pools are being constructed at Roaring River State Park near Cassville.

The American Scale Co. factory in Pleasant Hill is now running at production peak with the recent addition of more employees bringing the total to 62 in the machine shop and foundry. The company has a payroll of more than $250 daily.

'Coon hunters of St. Charles county were looking forward to good hunting in the future when they purchased and released twenty-two raccoons recently in the hills of that county. Additional animals will be freed from time to time as more funds are raised.

Newburg, Mo., nestling in the Ozark hills, is experiencing the joys of a modern water system, recently completed at a cost of $47,000. Water comes from a deep well.

Fifty-five men are now employed in the construction of the new $500,000 unit to be added to the Brookfield power plant of the Missouri Power and Light Co.

Keeping abreast of war demands, car manufacturers in the West Indies are now making bullet proof baby buggies.

Curiosity killed the cat, and electricity proved fatal to a bird the other day near Mound City, when pecking on FHA lines caused a short cricuit, electrocution and blown out fuses. Bright ends of copper ground wires proved the "piece de resistance."

Due to increased postal receipts, the Warrenton postoffice has been advinced to second class, according to Postmaster, William R. Ruche.

Nine jobs will be a vailable in the immediate future as mosquito counters along the Mississippi river following a recent announcement by the Iowa state health department.

August 1 has been set aside by the postal department as "Rural Mail Box Improvement Week," and a call has gone out to all rural boxholders to improve and modernize their boxes. We wonder how many people remember the old fashioned mail boxes of but a few years ago—the kind that were mounted on a wagon wheel at the cross roads, the wheel holding as many as ten or fifteen. In those days, farmers rode horseback to the mail box, and discussed matters of the day with other mail-getters.

The reindeer is the chief source of the milk supply of the far north.

SPAIN IN DIPLOMATIC BREAK WITH CHILE

Madrid, July 16.—Spain today broke off diplomatic relations with Chile.

The government of Generalissimo Francisco Franco had long been at odds with that of Chile because several loyalists had been given refuge in the Chilean embassy here after the Spanish civil war.

Chilean authorities repeatedly had refused demands that the loyalists be surrendered.

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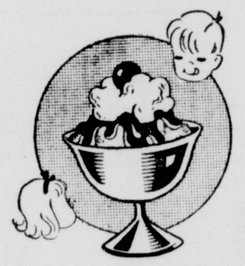

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Buffet Menu to Insure Success of Bride's First Party

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The most important occasion in a bride's life after the return from her honeymoon is that first entertainment for her friends in her new home. It is wise to start off conservatively, as the success of any party depends in large measure on the smooth and seemingly effortless way in which it is run. The seated buffet supper for eight is the answer to a young bride's prayer, combining the warm hospitality of a dinner with the informality of an evening get-together. For this type of entertainment the linen, silverware, china and food are set on a large table from which the guests serve themselves and then set down at small folding tables, each for four.

A famous hostess known for her parties suggests the following buffet supper menu as one which the young newlywed can prepare with enough ease to receive her guests without the flurry which usually accompanies a first party. She adds that she has found it a tried and true success with all types of guests.

Relishes: Carrot slivers, Celery
Buttered sliced White, Rye and Whole Wheat Breads.
Dried Beef, Crisp Bacon, Cream Cheese, Peanut Butter for Sandwich Spreads.
Spaghetti and Tomato Sauce in Casserole.
Pepsi Vegetable Salad.
Iced Beverage.

Here's the recipe for the novel vegetable mold salad:

3 tablespoons gelatin dissolved in ½ cup cold water.
½ cup boiling water
2 twelve-ounce bottles cola beverage.
2 tablespoons lime juice.
1 cup diced celery.
1 cup shredded pineapple.
1½ cups shredded cabbage.
½ cup shredded carrots.

Dissolve gelatin in cold water, add boiling water, lime and cola beverage. Mix celery, pineapple, cabbage and carrots. Add to thickened gelatin. Pour into mold. Chill and serve on crisp lettuce leaves. Garnish with sliced olives and radishes.

An experimental highway recently built was painted a dull orange color. It is said to have reduced road glare about 40 per cent.

A New Idea, Serve Liver Sausage Hot

Long favored for tasty sandwiches and as an asset to any cold meat platter, liver sausage makes a new bid for glory when served as a hot dish.

Inez S. Wilson, home economist, suggests liver sausage cut into one-half inch slices and browned in butter as the base of many tempting combinations. It's good prepared in this way and served with crisp bacon, stuffed celery and potato chips. Slices of tomato panbroiled with the liver sausage make another appropriate accompaniment.

Hot Liver Sausage Sandwiches

A luncheon or supper tempter you'll want to serve soon is liver sausage and cheese sandwiches—served hot. To make them place a slice of cheese over a slice of bread and on top of that a one-half inch slice of liver sausage. Brush the sausage with melted butter and for good measure lay a strip of cheese dipped in cream over the top. Put the sandwich under the broiler until the cheese is toasted. Served with a crisp salad, these sandwiches will find a permanent place in your list of foods "just awfully good and real easy to make."

Liver Sausage Valuable Food

Here's an idea the children will love. Lay the slices of browned liver sausage on toasted buns with slices of raw onion or a generous covering of chopped pickels. Liver you know, is good for everyone, young and old alike. Liver sausage gives us the same nutrients as liver in its original form: iron, copper, phosphorus, high quality protein and essential vitamins.

Bacon in Waffles Improves Flavor

Did you ever hear anyone say she hoped she'd always like ice cream because it was so good to eat?

Well, that's probably the way many of us feel about bacon and waffles. Bacon is so tasty and so very good with waffles that we'll want to enjoy the combination always.

Inez S. Wilson, home economist, proffers a subtle way of incorporating the flavor in "baconized waffles." Subtle is the word for when you eat the waffle you can't find the bacon but you keep wondering what it is that makes the waffle so good.

Bacon Disappears

Here's the trick. Cut a slice of bacon into four parts and put a section of each quarter of the hot waffle iron. Pour the waffle batter in and bake the waffle. When you serve it you'll find the bacon as a whole has disappeared, but the flavor lingers on giving you another tempting version of a favcrite combination.

Bacon can also be diced and added directly to the batter.

A Manchurian breed of hens lays quarter-pound eggs.

Giant Mild Pepper All America Award

Peppers are easily grown in the garden. They are so tender that seeds are usually started indoors and plants set out after danger of frost is over. Then they grow rapidly and produce constantly until the plants are killed in the fall by frost.

Among Americans the favorite of the many types which are available, has come to be a very large, mild fruit, with thick walls, which is green when it first forms, and then turns to a bright red.

In the All America trials for 1940 honorable mention was awarded to a new variety of this type, christened Fordhook. It is very early, bearing fruits in clusters of five to seven and is recommended as an excellent garden variety.

All America Pepper Fordhook.

Peppers in this country do not play the part in the menu that they play farther south, where the weather is hot, and the food hotter. But the mild type is becoming increasingly popular, both in the raw state in salads, and in various cooked forms.

It is now time to set the pepper plants raised from early started seed into their permanent positions in the garden. A dozen well-grown plants will yield a good supply of green peppers in late summer and fall. They are easily grown, requiring only a generous supply of moisture for their best development. The pepper is one plant that it is wise to sprinkle. Usually the watering is more efficiently done by taking the nozzle off the hose and letting it gently trickle over the garden and soak into the earth.

Peppers relish and good sprinkling of their foliage and seem to bear more freely for it.

Set them 18 inches apart and give good cultivation. They like a rich heavy soil but thrive in lighter soils if given a copious water supply.

The hot peppers are valuable for relishes and mixed pickles but they should not be grown in the same row with sweet peppers in order to avoid the mistake of getting a hot one mixed with the sweet ones in salads. In the large fruited types better production is insured by pinching out the first or "king" blossom. Like the cucumber, the plant often stops to develop its first born at the expense of the rest of the progeny.

Keeping Foods Better In Your Refrigerator

Thanks to the modern household refrigerator, the problem of storing foods safely, particularly in hot summer weather, is reduced to the simple matter of learning to make good use of the food-preservation facilities your refrigerator offers you. The preservation of food is dependent on two things—cold and humidity. For this reason the new automatic refrigerators provide a variety of storage compartments so that foods may be kept in a way best suited to their requirements.

THS FREEZING UNIT

Besides its job of freezing ice cubes and desesrts, the freezing unit provides a place for keeping quick-frozen foods for a few days before being used. Commercial ice creams can also be kept in the freezing unit.

MEAT STORAGE

The meat storage compartment has a very low temperature—just above freezing—and also high humidity. Sometimes this compartment is called a "meat keeper." It makes it possible to purchase meat for several days' supply. This section has other uses, too, such as for storing a large supply of ice cubes, the quick chilling of deserts in sherbet or parfait glasses, or the rapid cooling of bottled beverages.

GENERAL FOOD SPACE

This section of the refrigerator is the main storage space for miscellaneous foods — butter, milk, eggs, cooked meats, left-overs, chilled desserts, stewed fruits, cheese, casserole dishes, etc. Most of the foods stored in this section should be kept covered to prevent drying out, particularly if they are to be kept in the refrigerator for any length of time. Delicate foods, such as milk, butter and cream, are also kept covered to prevent them from taking on a foreign flavor. Strong-smelling foods, such as sauerkraut, are also kept covered to keep them from imparting a foreign flavor to other foods. If your refrigerator has a high-humidity compartment, foods stored in it do need to be kept covered except, of course, in the case of foods having a strong odor.

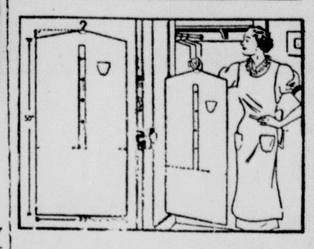
COVERING FOODS

For convenience in covering foods, use bowl covers which come in every size, and flexible bags for storing bulky vegetables and such things as melons. There are bags for storing bread, too, and if you've never tried storing bread in your refrigerator, try it and see how fresh it keeps. Covered refrigerator dishes are another convenience. Glass ones keep the food visible as a reminder to use left-overs. Dishes which stack one upon the other are space savers. The covering of foods serves the dual purpose of keeping them from drying out and preventing odors from being transferred from one food to another, or leaving a strong odor in the refrigerator itself.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE STORAGE

In the drawers where fresh vegetables are stored in the new automatic refrigerators, high humidity and satisfactorily low temperatures keep the contents fresh and crisp, and freshen vegetables which have become wilted through handling or exposure. These drawers are roomy and easy to use. The vegetables should be washed and excess moisture drained from them before putting them into the vegetable drawer.

SAVING MONEY With Cotton Bags



An orderly, clean and modern clothes closet is appreciated by everyone. When you open your closet door do you see your best party frocks all jammed in with everyday dresses? A set of garment covers does away with this and helps to keep your clothes in condition. Cotton flour bags afford an excellent material for making these covers because they are closely woven and will keep out the dust, are washable, and obtainable at no cost. Three bags will make a full-size garment case. Cut the three pieces of cloth to a width of 27 inches. One, to be the front of the bag, is slashed up middle to within 6 inches of the top. One slashed edge is faced back and the other has an extending facing to form a placket to which snap fasteners are sewn at 3 inch intervals. The top edges of the front and back are sloped down three inches to conform to the shape of the coat hanger and are stitched, leaving an inch opening in the middle for the hook.

Other Cotton Bag Sewing ideas are illustrated in a free booklet. Send to National Cotton Council, Box 18, Memphis, or Textile Bags, 100 N. LaSalle St., Chicago.

Light Summer Cakes

When warm days come the prospect of eating a rich heavy slice of cake loses its appeal even to the possessors of a highly developed sweet tooth. So plan to serve cakes that are not so rich in texture or content. Cakes of the sunshine or angel food variety are delicious with fresh berries or ice cream and general favorites as well.

SUNSHINE CAKE

1 cup cake flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
6 eggs
1 cop lne granulated sogar
¼ cup strained orange juice
1 teaspoon grated orange rind

Light the oven and adjust heat to 275. Sift the flour, then remeasure and sift four times with the baking powder and salt. Beat yolks of eggs till foamy and thick. This requires about 10 minutes of beating by hand.

Add sugar gradually and continue beating until stiff. Add orange rind, then juice and flour, mixing alternately, stirring in thoroughly. Carefully fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites, last using a wire whip and rotating the bowl with one hand while folding in with the other. Turn into an unoiled turk's-head pan, being careful not to stir batter as it is being transferred.

Bake for first 20 minutes at 275 degrees, then increase the temperature to 300 degrees and bake for 50 minutes longer. Invert to cool in the pan, like angel food, and remove when cool.

ICING FOR SUNSHINE CAKE

Beat ½ cup granulated sugar, ¼ cup powdered sugar, 1 cup shredded pineapple and 1 egg white together until the icing is very stiff, holding its shape.

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At home with meals, at the soda fountain, at picnics, beverages made with milk have unusual appeal. Easily assimilated food value or "pick-up" plus a delightful thirst-quenching quality put these drinks in front for warm weather.

Orange Quench—
¾ cup milk
1 teaspoon sugar
¼ cup orange juice

Combine ingredients, beat until thoroughly blended. Serve chilled. Makes 1 serving.

Variation: Add ¼ teaspoon cinnamon, for Spiced Orange Milk.

Ginger Flip—
½ cup gingerale
½ cup milk
1 serving vanilla ice cream

Pour gingerale and milk into a tall glass. Add a serving of vanilla ice cream. Serve immediately. Makes 1 large serving . Root beer may be substituted for gingerale.

Fresh Banana Frosted—
1 fully ripe banana
1 scoop vanilla ice ceram
6 ounces cold milk

Peel banana and break it into pieces directly into shaker cup of mixer or mixing bowl. Add other ingredients and beat until creamy. Makes 1 serving.

Note: When an electric drink mixer is used which does not cut up and crush fruit as it mixes, the banana should be mashed before being placed into mixer cup. Place mashed banana with other ingredients into mixer cup and whip until creamy.

Winner of 150 Jelly Prizes Gives Champion Recipes

End-to-end, Mrs. F. B. Tilliu's 150 prize ribbons for homemade jellies would reach about 75 feet —practically fifteen times the champion's own height!

More than 20 of those ribbons—11 firsts among them—were received at state and county fairs last year. Don't think for a minute, however, that this prize-winner does nothing but enter jellies at the fairs. Mr. Tillou and nine delightful Tillou children, ranging in age from six to eighteen, require plenty of sweet spreads for their own use. Last year mother made them more than 600 glasses of jellies and jams, and canned quarts and quarts of extra juice for winter jelly-making. Most of the fruit was picked at its ripest, most delicious moment, in the garden of the Tillou's big farm house near Oxford. N. J.

Mrs. Tillou, a charming person to know, readily parted with the secret of her jelly-making success. It's all in the recipes, she says—for she uses none but the short-boil kind. There's uot a moment to waste in her busy days, so she can't afford failures. Naturally, then, she follows the new-fashioned, foolproof directions. Their 30-second boil for jelly, just slightly more for jam, means half-again more glasses. And the extra-delicious flavor of the finished spreads is exactly like the fresh, ripe fruit itself.

No wonder Mrs. Tillou calls jelly-making a hobby—rather than a chore. Once you've tried this prize-winning recipe of hers for raspberry-current jelly, you'll feel just like a champion yourself!

Mrs. F. B. Tillou, Jr., of Oxford, New Jersey, is champion jellymaker of the state. No wonder the neighbors go straight to her when they need recipes for sweet spreads!

Mrs. Tillou's
Prize Raspberry-Current Jelly

(Makes about 11 medium glasses)
4½ cups juice
7 cups sugar
½ bottle fruit pectin

To prepare juice, crush thoroughly about 1½ pounds fully ripe currants. Add ¼ cup water.

Bring to a boil and simmer, covered, for 10 minutes. Crush thoroughly 1½ quarts fully ripe raspberries. Combine fruits. Place in jelly cloth or bag and squeeze out juice.

Measure sugar and juice into large saucepan and mix.

Bring to a boil over hottest fire and at once add bottled fruit pectin, stirring constantly. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard ¼ minute.

Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once.

Mrs. Tillou's
Prize Orange Jelly

(Makes about 7 medium glasses)
2½ cups juice
4½ cups sugar
½ bottle fruit pectin

To prepare juice, squeeze and strain juice from 6 medium oranges and 4 medium lemons.

Measure sugar and juice into large saucepan and mix.

Bring to a boil over hottest fire and at once add bottled fruit pectin, stirring constantly. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard ½ minute.

Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once.

Steak a Good Choice on Menu to Please Men

American men like "good, thick steaks."

And to a man, a steak isn't a steak unless it's "good and thick."

Inez S. Willson, home economist, points out that a thick steak will serve as many people as the same amount of meat in smaller steaks. Since the meat will be more flavorful and juicy, everyone, especially Dad, will be perfectly satisfied.

STEAKS OF MANY SIZES

If the family is large, perhaps one of the sirloin steaks from the loin end will be the best choice. T-Bone and porterhouse from the shortloin, also will serve the average family generously. Club steaks are smaller, but each one, if it is cut thick, will serve two.

MODERN BROILING EASY

Broiling according to the modern method is so easy that the young daughter of the family can be left in charge.

For a juicy, uniformly broiled steak, deliciously browned on the surface and delicately pink within, a moderate temperature should be used.

HOW TO BROIL A STEAK

Place the steak on the broiler rack and adjust the rack so the top surface of the steak is three inches from the source of heat. This will give a broiling temperature of about 350°F., which is a moderate temperature. If the construction of your broiler won't permit the three-inch space recommended, regulate the temperature control accordingly.

TURN STEAK BUT ONCE

Turn the steak when the upper side is nicely browned. Salt it just before turning and turn it carefully with a fork inserted in the fat. When the other side is browned the steak will be done. For a medium done steak about an inch and a half thick, allow thirty-five minutes for broiling. For a steak two inches thick allow forty-five minutes. For rare steaks in either case deduct five minutes from the time periods just stated.

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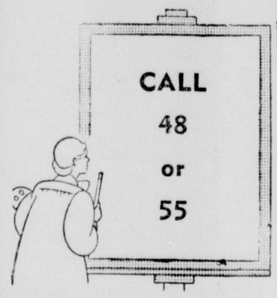

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The P. C. Editor Says:

In Walkers Grocery and Market advertisement in another section of The Standard there appears "Kerr Lids, 3 packages 10c" when it should read "3 packages for 25c." Please govern purchases accordingly.

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The Standard office was honored Thursday morning with a visit from C. P. Goetzman, city editor of the Kaukauna Times, of Kaukauna, Wis., and Harold H. Frank, District Governor of the Lions International, of Kaukauna, Wis., who were on their way to Havana, Cuba, to attend the Lions International in that city. It was our pleasure to show them through our shop and guided them through our art gallery.

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We are still 100 per cent for the hospital bond issue. Are you? We are still 100 per cent for the airport are you? We are still 100 per cent for the shoe factory. Are you? We are still 100 per cent for the Scott County Milling Co.. Are you? We are still 100 per cent for Sikeston and all the people therein and thereabouts. Are you? And we are still 100 per cent for The Sikeston Standard and hope you are too.

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The cold blooded murder of Dr. U. P. Haw at Benton Tuesday morning took from this county one of the most beloved, and polished gentlemen that ever lived. He was a friend of all, did more charity work than any doctor in that community and will be sadly missed. The night was not too dark, nor the weather too bad, that he did not respond to the call of the sick whether they were able to pay or not. Such a man and such a doctor was Doctor Haw.

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The time is growing short for the State and County candidates to see the dear people and they are certainly shaking a leg. Some mighty good men are presenting their claims to the voters and then there are some not so good. Each voter can decide which is the better man and which the worst man and when he enters the polls can govern his lead pencil accordingly. For ourself we will probably vote for some who might be classed good, bad and indifferent.

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It appears that Mr. Willkie is a funny boy, a smart Alec or wisecracker, as he answered the questions put to him at a press meeting, and laughed at his own comeback answers. He is not very serious about being President of the United States, or perhaps he knows he hasn't a chance in the world of stepping into Mr. Roosevelt's shoes and takes his nomination as a joke.

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The Hon. John D. Taylor, of Charitan County and candidate for Attorney-General of Missouri on the Democratic ticket, was a caller at The Standard Office Thursday forenoon. The Honorable John is one of the keenest lawyers in the State and we predict that the man who beats him in the August primary will be the next Democratic Attorney-General of Missouri. He attended the funeral of Dr. Haw at Benton in the afternoon of Thursday.

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How they dine leisurely in Lower California—and what they eat. An intriguing article with a new set of recipes and other interesting items in the housewife's Food Almanack. Don't miss this popular feature in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next week's Sunday Chicago Herald-American.

BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD TO GIVE FISH FRY

The Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church will have a fish fry on the church lawn Monday evening, July 22, at 7 o'clock. A program of entertainment has been arranged, and the Rev. D. K. Foster, pastor of the Caruthersville Baptist Church, will be the speaker for the evening. All members are urged to be present.

HIKER TO STAY HITCHED FOR WHILE

Kirksville, Mo., July 17.—When his thumb failed to obtain rides for him, a hitch-hiker here threw himself across the pavement of Highway 63 and played "possum" in an attempt to force motorists to stop.

One motorist did stop. It was a member of the Sheriff's force here and the hich-hiker got a ride to ploice court and then a sentence of 60 days at the county quarry on a charge of vagrancy.

Big Bomber Calls at Airport

It got here at last!

After several pre-view audiences had gathered at the airport all day Sunday and Tuesday evening for a glimpse of a greater military aviation. the giant army bombing plane promised Sikeston sat lightly down at the airport at 10:30 Wednesday morning.

The shining, aluminum-covered craft, carrying six officers, circled the town several times before landing and in no time to speak of had attracted a crowd of 500 to the field.

Headed by Lieut. Col. W. H. Reid, the party formed an inspection group which visited the buildings of the Missouri Aeronautical Institute, Inc.

With Col. Reid were the pilot, Capt. Carl Storrie, adjutant of the air corps training center at Randolph Field, San Antonio; Master Sgt. J. S. Tudor, Staff Sgt. A. E. Orcutt, Sgt. C. W. Doyell, and Corp. O. M. Royal, the photographer, who took pictures of the buildings and inspection party, along with President Oliver Parks of the Institute, Manager A. B. Woodbury, J. L. Matthews and C. L. Malone, who escorted the party.

As is customary on such occasions, Col. Reid had no official comment, but appeared pleased with the progress of construction, Mr. Woodbury said.

Photographs were taken while the plane circled over the field before landing.

The plane has been on an inspection tour, visiting Washington, D. C., Albany, N. Y., Jackson, Miss. (where Mr. Parks is building another school) and Montgomery, Ala. The plane is from Randolph Field.

Word that the plane would fly in at 6:30 Tuesday evening brought a big throng to the field, but only the birds flew over. Announcement that it would arrive Sunday kept a constant flow of expectant visitors at the airport. Originally it was due Thursday of last week.

Unexpected business delayed the first two trips. Tuesday evening, coming from Montgomery, the plane encountered a storm near the Tennessee line and was forced to return to the starting point because of the wide area of disturbance, Sgt. Tudor said.

The plane is a large, two-motored type, known as a "medium" bomber, since the army also has huge four-motored "flying fortresses." The type here has a glass enclosed machine-gunner's cockpit in front and slightly lower than the pilot's turret. Another machine-gun position is located at the rear, just in front of the plane's tail. The "belly" of the fuselage can be opened to permit placing of bombs on racks.

The bomber took off during the noon hour en route to San Antonio.

Rites Here for Mrs. Lem Hulsey

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church here Monday afternoon for Mrs. Gertrude Hulsey, 46, who died Saturday night at Poplar Bluff of a streptococcic infection. She was ill a week.

Mrs. Hulsey, a native of Missouri, was born in 1894. She married Lem Hulsey at Whitewater, Mo., and they moved to this section many years ago, living at Matthews, Mo., and then moving to Sikeston about five years ago. Three months ago Mr. and Mrs. Hulsey moved with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Moll, to Poplar Bluff.

Surviving are two other daughters, Mrs. J. N. Walker, Jr., of Sikeston and Mrs. Charles Long, Bloomfield.

Rev. Chester Pillow, Baptist pastor at Poplar Bluff, and Rev. E. W. Milner of this city conducted rites. Interment with Albritton service was in Memorial Park.

JAPAN'S CASUALTIES TOTAL 1,644,000, CHINESE REPORT

Hongkong, July 17. — Chinese headquarters said today that three years of warfare had cost Japan 1,644,988 men killed, wounded or dead as a result of disease.

Tokyo recently admitted that 85,800 Japanese had been killed in the war with China and said China's losses totaled 3,000,000 men, of whom more than half were said to have been killed in battle.

Rita Heisserer And Ben Bowman Marry Wednesday

The marriage of Miss Rita Heisserer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Heisserer of Oran, and Ben Bowman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Bowman of this city, was solemnized at the Catholic rectory in New Madrid at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, by Rev. Walter Riske. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Baker, Jr., attended the couple.

The bride chose a white silk jersey frock for her wedding costume, with which she wore a black hat trimmed in white gardenias and veil, and other accessories in white. Her corsage was white roses. Mrs. Baker wore pink silk jersey, with a white hat and white accessories. Her flowers were blue carnations.

Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Conran, in New Madrid. After a honeymoon spent in the south, Mr. and Mrs. Bowman will return to Sikeston to spend several weeks with the former's parents before going to Columbia, Mo., where he will enter Missouri University.

The bride, a sister of LeRoy Heisserer of Sikeston, is a graduate of Wililam Woods College at Fulton, Mo. She taught school near Oran, last winter. The bridegroom was educated in the Sikeston schools and at Westminster College at Fulton, Mo.

Auxiliary Picks Delegates to District Meet

The rgular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. S. L. Schillig with Mrs. W. C. Holly assistant hostess.

Reports were given by the committee chairman and Mrs. Roy Wagner gave an account of her trip to Fulton, where she took five young junior members to attend the Girls' State meeting. Mrs. Schigil, Junior Chairman, reported that the Juniors are planning a rummage sale and asked the members to save their rummage for them.

Delegates and alternates to the district meeting to be held at Kennett, August 4, were elected as follows: Mrs. Tanner Dye, Mrs. Roy Wagner, Mrs. Rabb, Mrs. Burl Heath, and Mrs. Ben Matthews, delegates, Mrs. C. L. Malone, Mrs. L. J. Langley, Mrs. G. W. Presnell, Mrs. W. C. Holly, and Mrs. . L. SSchillig, alternates. Mrs. Kathryn Johnson. district president, will preside at the meeting.

The next regular meeting of the Auxiliary will be held July 30, instead of the regular meeting day, August 6, which is election day

All-Stars Meet Two Foes This Evening

Sikeston All-Stars will be aiming to square themselves with two teams which have put the bee on them in past games, this Thursday evening at the softball field. The Dexter Timber Toppers, victor over Sikeston earlier this season, will be on target, while the Cairo, Ill., team, which won last year, will be the other. The first game will be at 7:30 p. m. The Sikeston Jaycees are sponsoring them.

REUNION HELD AT COCKRELL HOME

A reunion of Mrs. Walter Cockrell and sisters was held at Mrs. Cockrell's home on Lake Street Sunday, with 54 relatives and friends present. They were:

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barrett and sons, Mrs. Cora Laird of Metropolis, Ill., Raymond Fisher and children of Rosebud, Ill., Mrs. Charlie Turner, daughter, Miss Johnsy, Mr. and Mrs. Alan King and son, Mrs. Turner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Westmorland, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cockrell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greenlee and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Cockrell, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Boardman and children, Tommy and Rita Laye, Mr. and Mrs. George Evans and children, George, Jr., Delmar Jo, Lynn Clair, and Lana Darlene, W. R. Griffin, Mrs. Willard Terrell and sons, Jimmie, Billy, Lee Austin, and Gene, Mrs. Gertrude Colley and sons, Leonard and Stanley.

Seek Permission to Bring Girl Refugee, 12, From London To Sikeston to Escape War

Over in London, England, daily expecting the full fury of Hitler's bombs, is a family whose 12-year-old daughter already may be on her way to Sikeston—taking part in the British government's plan to evacuate children to Canada and the United States.

A censored letter received Thursday morning by John O'Hara, 506 Center, from Mrs. John Bann O'Hara of London, states her young daughter Shelia will come to America if its possible, to spend the duration of the war with Sikeston relatives.

The letter was in reply to a suggestion by Mr. O'Hara that the girl be sent to his home to escape the horrors of the war certain to descend upon England.

ACQUAINTED BY COINCIDENCE

Mr. O'Hara does not know exactly his relationship with the London O'Haras. His grandfather Oliver O'Hara, ran away from his home in Ireland and went to Canada, bringing with him a valuable sword with the family coat-of-arms. About four years ago Mr. O'Hara purchased a ticket in the Irish Sweepstakes. Through it he was given a person of the same name in Ireland to correspond with, and Mr. O'Hara attempted to establish some connection with relatives through his grandfather.

John Bann O'Hara about a year later visited this part of Ireland, learned of the Sikeston O'Haras and the communications with the London family began. Through the sword and coat-of-arms, and through the grandmother's name, McGee, they established relationship.

BORN IN CHICAGO

John Bann O'Hara was born in Chicago, returned to his parents' Ireland at the age of six and later went to London to live. He is a gunner in the British navy, and two sons, John, Jr., and Brian, are also in the navy. The father served in the World War, was forced to swim at sea for two hours when his ship was lost, and was retired on a pension when drafted back into service for this war. He and John, Jr., are gunners for merchant marine ships, and Brian is attending a naval school.

Besides the one who intends to come here, there are three older daughters, Mary, a Red Cross nurse; Eileen, who is studying telegraphy and Patricia, who is in civil service.

The dreaded uncertainty of war is seen in the letter from London, written by Mrs. O'Hara, which follows. For two months no word has come from the son John, who has been at sea. The letter says:

LETTER FROM LONDON

"How pleased we all felt when receiving your very nice letter yesterday, and what a relief to know that Sheila if all goes well, please God, at this end, will be coming out to you. It is she that we have been worrying about. She has been away from us since last September, but we were seriously thinking of having her home, as

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Search for Oil Has Scientific Basis

Activity near New Madrid toward drilling for oil recalls the comments of geologists from time to time about the possibilities of finding the "black gold" in this vicinity.

From rock formations, geologists cannot positively say where oil will be found. But they can definitely say where it cannot be found.

H. S. McQueen, asistant state geologist at Rolla, said here two years ago the rock strata that lies beneath Sikeston and New Madrid is the type associated with oil. This layer rises above the surrounding delta in this vicinity at Morley, where it forms what is known as the Benton Hills.

To the west, where the Ozarks crop out beginning at Poplar Bluff this strata does not exist, he said.

Beneath Sikeston, the rock begins at 400 feet. At Caruthersville, it is 700 feet.

The exact places to drill—or the more feasible spots—are over "domes," or elevations in the rock strata. These domes are determined by surface soundings. They may be caused by oil and they may not, but oil is always found beneath a dome.

When the countless billions of minute sea life were trapped beneath rock layers in a pre-historic era, there to decay and form oil, the pressure of these pockets pushed the rock up. The set connection is also shown by the salt water that always accompanies oil.

It is shown that the sea covered a large part of the Middle West at one time and that the Mississippi for a time emptied into the "Gulf of Mexico" where the hills begin north of here. Hence, the likelihood of oil is quite evident.

Baptist Women to Attend Assembly

The following members of the Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church expect to attend the Baptist Assembly on Baptist Hill at Van Buren this week end: Mrs. Milem Limbaugh, sponsor, Misses Muriel and Pearl Edwards, Miss Ruth Moore, Miss Irene Altom, Miss Cristine Cauthorne, Miss Helen Johnson, Miss Lillian Belle Taylor, Miss Magdalene Moser and Miss Vernetta Smith.

CHARLES BLANTON III CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Charles Blanton III invited a group of friends to help celebrate his sxith birthday, Monday afternoon at his home on North Ranney. Included in the guests were John Harper, Charles Matthews, Jimmy and Bobby Keasler, Sammy Bowman, Glenn Barton, Barbara Boyce, Ann Hollenbeck, Bobby Scott, Gene Hirschberg, Buddy Forrester, Eddie McAmis, Paul Slinkard Jr., Jimmy Osborn, Peggy Knupp, Mary Ann Walker, Jane Bowman, Freddy Taylor, Jimmy Bowles, Sue Sikes, Damon Dale, John and Tommy Kendig, Harry White, Allen and Mary Eugenia Blanton.

TO RESUME REGULAR PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES

Regular services will be held at the Presbyterian Church Sunday, July 21. The pastor, Rev. D. D. McAdams and Mrs. McAdams, have returned from Keytesville, Mo., where they had spent two weeks.

Cities Suffer Sudden Shortage Of Newspapers

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat had its troubles Thursday morning.

Quite a few people in Sikeston failed to get a copy of the paper, and upon inquiring as to the reason, learned that not enough had been delivered here on the early morning southbound train.

Later, calls began coming into St. Louis from Sikeston and other cities along the Frisco line even down to Memphis.

"More papers!"

The cause of the shortage was then discovered, A new mail clerk was placed on route and he tossed off only a part supply at most of the cities.

He must have wound up at Memphis with a half a carload of Globe-Democrats.

LON SWANNER SUFFERS HEART ATTACK

Lon Swanner, water commissioner, who suffered a severe heart attack last Friday morning, and later developed malaria, is much improved and able to be out of bed for several hours each day.

MALONE AIDS IN STATE C. OF C. PROGRAM

C. L. Malone of Sikeston is a member of the board of directors of the Missouri State Chamber of Commerce which is devoting a special program to bring more industries and developments to the State.

C. E. Felker, Jr., to Be Married to Lexington Girl

The marriage Miss Geraldine Dierking, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dierking of Lexington, Mo., and Clarence E. Felker, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Felker of Sikeston, will take place Sunday afternoon, July 21, at 4:30 o'clock at the home of the bride. Mr. Felker will be attended by his father as best man.

Miss Dierking, who has visited in the Felker home here, was graduated from Central College last June. She is a member of Phi Kappa Delta sorority.

Mr. Felker is a graduate of the Sikeston High School and completed his college course at Central College in June. He is manager of the Bijou Confectionery on North New Madrid Street. Following a wedding trip to Kansas City, the couple will arrive in Sikeston the last of next week.

Yellow Cab Co. Said Planning to Operate Here

Reports that the Yellow Cab Co. was intending to establish an agency here and take over one or more of the lines now operating in the city circulated this week.

However, owners of local cab lines said they had not been approached about selling out.

The plan, according to the report, would be for the Yellow Cab Co. to establish a downtown office and have relay stations with taxis at each in all four wards for faster service.

The coming of the flying school, with the large number of cadets who will demand taxi service, was cited as the reason for the taxiline rumor, but it could not be confirmed.

Four men from the Yellow Cab Co. of Cape Girardeau inquired at the City Hall Wednesday baout the cost of vehicle licenses and city ordinances governing the operation of taxis.

Parks Pleased With Hospital

Oliver Parks of the flying school visited the J. A. Sutterfield residence Tuesday and declared he was well-pleased with the structure as a hospital. He said it would be a much better hospital than he had expected the city to furnish when he brought the air school here.

Efforts are still being made to secure an order of Catholic Sisters to operate the institution.

SALCEDO COUPLE WED BY REV. SELF

Mrs. Jewell Jane Dockins and William E. Parker of the Salcedo community were married Monday afternoon, 4 o'clock, by the Rev. J. T. Self at his home north of Sikeston. Accompanying them was the bride's sister, Miss Virginia Proffer. Mr. and Mrs. Parker will reside on their farm near Salcedo.

Democrats Draft Roosevelt

President Roosevelt was drafted by the Democratic National Convention to be a candidate for a third term as president of the United States, Wednesday evening.

Receiving 946 votes as the first roll call of delegates, progressed, the President was given the delegates of Postmaster General James Farley and Vice President John Garner, both of whom had been nominated and were known to oppose the third term. When the first roll call was finally completed, Roosevelt had received a unanimous vote.

It remained for the President Thursday to accept the draft. If he should win again, he will be the first president in history to be elected three times.

Selection of a vice presidential candidate also remains.

Benton Physician Slain by Man Over Long-Time Grudge

What Sheriff John Hobbs describes as a grudge of many years had its tragic climax in the fatal shooting of Dr. Uriel P. Haw, 65 years old, Scott County Health Officer, Tuesday morning in a Benton drug store.

A jury called by Coroner John F. Nunnelee, Jr., following an inquest late Tuesday morning returned a verdict that Dr. Haw "came to his death from the wound of a bullet fired from a pistol held by Alvie Steck and committed with felonious intent."

Steck, 50, who like Dr. Haw was a resident of Benton, was hurried away by state troopers to an unnamed jail for safe-keeping after he had surrendered to Sheriff Hobbs.

On the finding of the inquest, Prosecutor David Blanton filed a charge of first degree murder against Steck.

LONG-TIME GRUDGE

Sheriff Hobbs and other residents of Benton generally agreed Steck held a grudge of 20 years or more against Dr. Haw because the physician once certified the man to the State Hospital at Farmington, where Steck remained for a period.

Dr. Haw had entered the City Drug Store in Benton shortly before 8 o'clock and went behind a partition to fill a prescription. Lyman Foulk, owner of the store, came in and went to the rear to take over the prescription-filling.

Edgar Boals, 13-year-old clerk, related to officers he was the only person in the main part of the store when Steck entered.

Dr. Haw, whistling, came from behind the partition just as the other man was coming through the door. Boals was sweeping behind a counter at the side.

MEET IN STORE

When Steck saw the physician, he exclaimed:

"So you're whistling like a mocking bird," swearing at the same time, the youth related.

"Yes, what of it?" the doctor replied.

"I'll show you what," the other man shouted.

Dr. Haw, sensing trouble, reached over the counter and grabbed the end of Boal's broom. The boy did not want to see any fight in the store, so he held to it, and it finally fell to the floor.

FIRES AT SIX FEET

Boals said Steck pulled a pistol from his trousers pocket and fired upward once from a low angle, as the two faced each other at a distance of not over six feet.

The bullet struck the physician in the right side of the neck and ranged upward, evidently striking his spinal column.

Dr. Haw collapsed to the floor and died in a few seconds.

Steck calmly walked out of the store and apparently put the pistol, a .32 Owl Head, in his car nearby, because the pistol was later taken from the car.

Then he returned to the store and mentioned "wrongs" of 35 years which he attributed to Dr. Haw.

"I told him I'd do it," he declared. "I've been to Sikeston and Jefferson City a lot of times trying to get them (law officers) to take care of him."

Steck then left the store and walked south toward the courthouse.

SURRENDERS TO SHERIFF

Sheriff Hobbs, who had heard of the shooting, met Steck and took him into custody. The prisoner did not resist but merely argued his motive to the sheriff.

Because of Dr. Haw's standing in the community, ill-feeling ran high, and it was decided to remove Steck from the Scott County jail temporarily. He was thought taken to the Poplar Bluff jail.

Mr. Foulk said Steck habitually came to the drug store "looking for Dr. Haw."

OTHER THREATS

Residents of Benton said Steck had threatened to kill several persons in the town over a period of years. Not much attention was paid to the threats, however, because everybody believed the man harmless, although slightly unbalanced mentally.

The coroners's jury, which deliberated an hour an a half at the courthouse, consisted of Harry Welman, W. C. Porter, M. N. Frobase, Alden Pinney, N. L. Cannon, and Roy L. Kneezle.

Steck, a brother of County Treasurer Emil Steck, was not married and lived with his mother at Benton.

The prisoner has had no regular occupation, although he worked on the WPA at times.

News of the death stunned the entire Benton community. as well as people living in many towns in this section, for Dr. Haw was widely known and highly respected.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at the Methodist Church at Benton. Rev. E. H. Orear, superintendent of the Poplar Bluff district of the Methodist Church and former Sikeston pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. Thomas Bess of the Benton Church. Burial was in the family plot of the Benton cemetery.

TRUE "COUNTRY DOCTOR"

Dr. Haw typified the fast-passing "country doctor" who was a custodian of health and general troubles of an entire community. He had practiced medicine at Benton 42 years, serving patients in early years by buggy and even by horseback.

As County Health Officer, a post he held for many years, he treated patients at the County Farm with the same zest and attention that he gave to other clients.

Dr. Haw's willingness to serve all who sought him, and to aid them in other ways besides medical attention, did not permit him to accumulate a large mass of wealth, but his wealth was measured highly in the esteem of the community.

It is said he attended at more than 3000 births.

BORN AT CHARLESTON

Dr. Haw was born at Charleston on December 28, 1872, the son of Dr. Joseph L. Haw and Mary Ann Vernon Haw, and at the age of nine they moved to Farmington.

He was educated at the public schools of Charleston and Farmington, at Mooney's School, Franklin, Tenn., and at Central College, Fayette. In 1898 he was graduated in medicine at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.

Practicing first at Commerce, he moved to Benton after a while and remained there.

During the World War he was the medical member of the Scott County draft board, then became a captain in the Medical Corps in the 156th Depot Brigade, being stationed at Camp Jackson at Columbia, S. C., and at Camp Sevier, Greenville, S. C.

SURVIVORS

Surviving are six children, Miss Uriel Haw, teacher in Sikeston High School and now attending the summer session of Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., Mrs. Ella Peal of Malden, Mrs. Martha Crites of St. Louis, Joe and Tom Haw of Bernie, and Dick Haw of Farmington. He also reared a foster-son, Robert Norrid. He also leaves two brothers, Attorney Moore Haw of Charleston and Dr. Marvin Haw of Springfield, Mo., and six sisters, Mrs. Murray Tanner of Webster Groves, Mrs. Julia Moore and Mrs. Laura Westcoat, of Cape Girardeau, and Mrs. Ella Taylor, Mrs. Emma Pell and Miss Anna Haw, of Farmington.

The doctor's wife died two years ago. A son, Dr. Hunter Haw, died last year in Texas, and a brother, Rev. Linn Haw, passed away in Cape Girardeau two months ago.

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LOUIS N. WOLF PRAISED IN APPEALS RACE

A race attracting widespread interest throughout the Southern half of Missouri is that in which Louis N. Wolf is a Democratic candidate for the Springfield Court of Appeals for the unexpired term of the late Judge Perry Allen.

The interesting question is whether a personal campaign is more effective than a mail campaign.

Mr. Wolf, who has a reputation for being one of the ablest lawyers in Missouri, is making an active personal campaign throughout the forty-four counties in his judicial district. He has spent his entire time visiting in each of these counties and becoming acquainted with the voters ,and he is being enthusiastically received.

We like a candidate who is willing to make a personal campaign and meet the public. We like Mr. Wolf also because he is modest, but energetic, and willing to work for the office he seeks. A candidate who will not work in the primary, will not support the ticket in November. Our endorsement therefore goes to Mr. Wolf. He deserves to win.—The Southwestern, (Joplin).

(Political Advertisement)

Employes of the Lair Furniture Store enjoyed a picnic supper and weiner roast Wednesday evening, in the hills north of Cape Girardeau. Those attending were, F. D. Lair, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Chittenden, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGill, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Hess Perrigan and daughter Patsy, Mrs. Maxine Fant and Mrs. Carrie Nell Bray.

CAROL PATSY SIMS ENTERTAINS WITH TEA

Carol Patsy Sims entertained the following girls at a tea party Thursday afternoon in honor of Sue Richmond of Advance, Mo., Janet Sue Stewart, Ann Hollenbeck, Jeanne Walker, Barbara Ann Lennox, Janet Stevens, Peggy Earl Knupp.

GIVES BUNKING PARTY SARAH SUE KELLER

Sarah Sue Keller entertained a group of friends at a bunking party in her home on Park Tuesday night. They were Betty Hirschberg, Betty Anderson, Margaret Ann Hatfield, Pat Ellise, Barbara and Mary Ellen Sensenbaugh and Martha Stevens.

METHODIST MISSION

Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock at the Methodist Mission in Smith Addition every Sunday. The public cordially invited. If you are not attending Sunday School come and be with us.

Rev. H. H. Harper.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Morning Worship at 10:45 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Peril of Easy Street."

B. T. U. at 6:45 p. m.

Evening Worship at 7:45 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Failure of Judas."

Weekly teachers' and officers' meeting each Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock; mid-week prayer service at 7:30 o'clock; choir practice at 8:30 o'clock.

Rev. E. W. Milner, pastor.

MODERN MARTHA CLASS

The Modern Martha Class of the Christian Church will have an old fashioned garden party and ice cream social at the home of Mrs. C. R. Auten, 1023 N. Ranney. Thursday evening, July 25, at 8 o'clock.

AIRPORT FOREMAN HIT BY FLYING BUCKET

William C. Holley, foreman on the airport construction, suffered a two-inch laceration in the head Tuesday morning when a flying bucket caught by a high wind struck him. He was treated by Dr. T. C. McClure and was able to return to work.

MR. AND MRS. DANIEL GIVEN SHOWER

The C. Y. O. of St. Henry's Catholic Church at Charleston gave a wedding shower Tuesday night for Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Daniel, Jr., at Fassett's East Gate in Charleston. Forty guests enjoyed dancing and refreshments.

TRAVELOG

Foreign Tang to CANADIAN Vacations...

Do you interpret those magic words "Ottawa—Toronto—Montreal—Quebec" to mean vacation time? Do you immediately picture moose, deer, bear and other game roaming vast forest preserves, idly curious of visitors? Can you feel the tug of those fighting game fish on the end of your reel somewhere in the wilderness? If you want to actually spend an entirely different vacation this year—if you want to add the zest of a foreign country to your experiences, the logical thing for you to do is to plan a trip to Canada.

The north country, including the Algonquin Park, the Muskoka District, long famous as a resort region, thru which winds a network of streams, dotted by frequent lakes, lies beyond Toronto.

Provincial Quebec might easily have been created to please the visitor—something new at each turn of the road, each nook and cranny a new delight. Who among us can resist the lure of the mighty St. Lawrence and the rugged shoreline of Gaspo—the stately Laurentians, the historical importance of picturesque St. Maurice Valley—the potpourri of colorful and romantic attractions of the city of Quebec?

Newfoundland, Labrador and other ports of call are included in a cruise thru the Gulf of St. Lawrence which suggests unexcelled diversion after long weeks of office and business routine.

The lure of the St. Lawrence rivals that of England's Thames and Germany's Rhine, yet our own native river has characteristics not found on the Continent, being the Artery, as it were, of eastern Canada, growing in importance and dominance from an unknown stream to a great seaway throbbing with commerce from the seven seas.

A vacation in Canada will provide all the necessary excitement and romance of a trip abroad without all the time spent enroute and the numerous other arrangements to be made. All you need do is phone the nearest railroad ticket office and tell the passenger agent you are interested in a trip to Canada; he'll be happy to help you complete your plans, even to the making of reservations in the sleeping car at the hotels where you'll stay. He also has an excellent supply of folders available that are yours for the asking.

DUKE AND WALLY TO FLY TO U. S.

London, July 16.—A Reuters, British news agency, dispatch from Lisbon tonight said that the Duke and Duchess of Windsor had booked passage by Clipper to New York and are expected to fly from New York to the Bahamas where the Duke will be Governor General.

Sikeston Standard $2 per year.

MARTHA MAY LATHOM IS PARTY HOSTESS

Miss Martha Mae Lathom was hostess at a party Wednesday night at her home on Daniel, at which a scavengar hunt was the feature of the entertainment. Miss Ruth Evelyn Reed of St. Louis was an out-of-town guest.

WALLPAPER ON FIRE

Firemen were called near noon Wednesday to Brown's Boarding House, colored dwelling on East Gladys, where wallpaper had caught fire from a stove. Damage was slight.

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RESULTS From WANT ADS

FOR RENT—Modern apartment. Adults only. Call 838. (tf-88)

THE WORLD WAR REVEALED the fact that practically every enlisted man needed some dental service. Such service was provided by the government. One cannot be physically fit and have had teeth. See your dentist at least twice a year. 1t-88

PHONE 1050, G. & L. Radio Service, when your set refuses to deliver. (2t-88)

FOR RENT—5 room house, bath and basement. Ada Mays, Phone 245. (2t-87p)

FOR SALE—Large sow with 8 pigs, 6 weeks old. Gene Bertrand, one and one-half miles S. W .of Benton. (1t-88)

FOR SALE—Good 4-wheel trailer, on Chevrolet chassis, 6.00 by 16 tires (2 new and the others good), non-weaving tongue and hitch, body of tongue groove siding 6 by 12 feet and 4 feet high. Phone 242. (tf-88)

FOR SALE—2 airplane-type ceiling fans. Brook's Mercantile Corp. 113 W. Malone. (1t-88p)

FOR SALE—Good used upright piano, reasonable. Inquire 302 Ruth St., or phone 410. (1t-88)

WOOD FOR SALE—Split Cooking Stove Wood, $1.35 per rank at yard, $1.50 per rank delivered in Sikeston. In 3 ranks or more $1.50 per rank within 5 miles of Sikeston. Sailors Wood Yard, in Smith Addition East of Henington Paint Shop. (tf-88F-

WANTED—Downstairs unfurnished rooms, not more than 6 blocks from Coca-Cola Plant. Phone 481. (1t-88p)

FOR RENT—3-room unfurnished apartment, built-in cabinets, hot water, private bath. 113 Cresap, Phone 643. tf-88

FOR RENT—Cabin back of 216 N. Ranney. (ft-87)

NOTICE—Don't forget to come to the Sikeston Furniture Co., 517 Prosperity St. and get our prices and easy terms on all kinds of used Furniture, we also have some real bargains in farms and cut-over lands. Sikeston Furniture Co., 517 Prosperity St., Sikeston, Mo. (2t-85-86)

Sikeston Standard $2 per year.

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms. Mrs. F. M. Meredith, 502 Ruth St. (3t-88p)

FOR SALE—Large dining table and eight chairs, solid oak for sale at a price. C. W. Hollister, upstairs over Sutton's Red & White Store. (tf-84-

FOR RENT — Modern furnished apt. Less Gross, 304 Southwest. Phone 691. (tf-81)

FOR SALE—100-foot front by 75 ft. deep, facing Lescher Drive. Schorle-Wood Realty Co. (tf-81)

FOR SALE—Cottage, 314 Ruth St. Modern except heat. Small down payment, remainder like rent. Call 553 or see Eli Williams. tf-78F

FOR SALE—Fine home, corner North Park and College. See Finney, Home Oil Co., Charleston. (tf-72)

FOR SALE—Brick home with hardwood floors, tile bath, plenty of shade, close to schools. 411 Kendall. Phone 703. (tf-83)

TO TRADE — Good pocket or wrist watch for 16 ga. automatic shot gun. C. H. Yanson, Jeweler. (tf-86)

PHONE 931, Martin Service Co. for Refrigeration service, authorized Kelvinator Service. (tf-84)

FOR RENT—Modern furnished apartment. Call 483. 225 S. Kingshighway. (tf-81)

FOR SALE—One F-30 Farmall on rubber, complete with Middle Buster, Tandem Disc, Corn Planter and Cultivator. Slightly used in first class condition, cheap. Will sell for cash or terms. Mrs. E. J. Mahoney, Route I, Dexter. (8t-85p)

FOR RENT — Modern sleeping room at 102 E. Kathleen. Phone 267. (tf-86)

FOR RENT—Bedroom in modern home. 229 Ruth St., Phone 633. (tf-79)

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS Board and Room or Rooms by day or night, 50c. Phone 902. tf-58

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Comedy and Short.

—Matinee—
Admissions ..... 10c and .196
State Tax ..... .004
Total ..... 10c and 20c
—Night—
Admissions ..... 10c and .314
State Tax ..... .006
Federal Tax ..... .04
Total ..... 10c and 36c

FRIDAY, JULY 19—

SPORTING BLOOD
Robert YOUNG, Maureen O'SULLIVAN, Lewis STONE, William Gargan, Lewis Stone

NEWS AND COMEDY

—Matinee—
Admissions ..... 10c and .196
State Tax ..... .004
Total ..... 10c and 20c
—Night—
Admissions ..... 10c and .264
State Tax ..... .006
Federal Tax ..... .03
Total ..... 10c and 30c

SATURDAY, JULY 20—

BORIS KARLOFF in THE MAN WITH NINE LIVES
COLUMBIA'S harrowing hit... with the master of horrors

COMEDY AND SERIAL

—Matinee and Night—
Admissions ..... 10c and .264
State Tax ..... .006
Federal Tax ..... .03
Total ..... 10c and 30c

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JULY 21-22—

JEANETTE MacDONALD • NELSON EDDY in "NEW MOON"
with MARY BOLAND • GEORGE ZUCCO • H. B. WARNER • GRANT MITCHELL

NEWS AND COMEDY

—Sunday Matinee and Night—
Admissions ..... 10c and .314
State Tax ..... .006
Federal Tax ..... .04
Total ..... 10c and 36c
—Monday Matinee—
Admissions ..... 10c and .196
State Tax ..... .004
Monday Night same as Sunday Night

TUESDAY, JULY 23—

"Making Eyes At Me"
With Tom Brown
COMEDY AND SHORT
BARGAIN NIGHT
—Matinee and Night—
Admissions ..... 10c and .196
State Tax ..... .004
Total ..... 10c and 20c

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, JULY 24-25—

DARRYL F. ZANUCK'S Production of MARYLAND IN TECHNICOLOR
With Brenda Joyce
SHORT—"MARCH OF TIME" COMEDY

Wednesday and Thursday Matinee
Admissions ..... 10c and .196
State Tax ..... .004
Total ..... 10c and 20c
Wednesday and Thursday Nights
Admissions ..... 10c and .314
State Tax ..... .006
Federal Tax ..... .04
Total ..... 10c and 36c

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JACK'S SOUTH "Y"

Oilers Beat Scott County Mill, 9-6

By taking Scott County 9-6, the Cotton Oil Mill took a single hold on the American League lead Wednesday night at the softball field.

The Flour Grinders started out strong, with four runs in the first, then sagged while the Oilers built up their advantage.

Hits were nearly equal, the Oilers standing one ahead of their opponents with seven, and each team committed eight errors. However, Jimmy Law struck out nine men, the kayoes coming at times when Scott County was threatening.

Vanover, who went in for the Flour Mill in the second, socked a round trip blow in the fifth in an effort to aid his cause. Tandy turned out a triple, double and single in four times at bat.

Scott County	AB	R	H	E
J. Simmons, lf.	3	1	0	0
M. Marshall, 3b.	3	1	0	2
Skelton, ss.	3	0	0	0
R. Williams, lf.	3	1	1	0
H. Aldridge, sc.	2	1	1	1
V. Sherry, c.	3	1	1	2
W. Ables, 2b.	3	0	1	2
Vanover, cf., p.	3	1	1	0
Lockhart, 1b.	3	0	1	0
Lufcy, p. cf.	3	0	0	1
	29	6	6	8

Cotton Oil	AB	R	H	E
Dace, 3b.	3	2	0	1
Tandy, 2b.	4	2	3	2
Lacy, rf.	3	0	.	0
Letner, cf.	2	0	0	4
C. Binnington, cf.	2	0	0	0
Swacker, 1b.	2	1	0	0
Mathis. 1b.	2	0	0	0
Davis, lf.	1	0	0	0
Bruce, lf.	1	0	1	1
Wagner, sc.	3	1	1	0
Garrison, ss.	2	1	1	0
Keasler, c.	3	0	0	0
Law, p.	3	2	0	0
	f1	9	7	8

Scott County	400	110	0—6
Cotton Oil	132	201	x—9

Summary: Two-base hits, Tandy, R. Williams, Lacy, Wagner; three-base hits, Garrison, Tandy; home run, Vanover; bases on balls, off Lufcy 2, off Vanover 2, off Law 1; struck out, by Lufcy 1, by Vanover 3, by Law 9; losing pitcher, Vanover; umpires, Deal Gilbert, W. Lee; scorer, Lea Smith.

Chicks Defeat Cape Girardeau Main St., 22-7

Rebounding from a setback suffered the day before at East St. Louis, the Sikeston Chicks fell on the Cape Girardeau Main Street girls for a 22-7 win here Monday night.

Helen Estes confined the Cape batting efforts to seven hits, while the Chicks poured out 16. Imogene Lefler hit two home runs, the second with two base runners on. Rehkoff of Cape gained a triple.

East St. Louis turned back the Sikestonians, 7-2, there Sunday, although Sikeston's five hits were close behind the Illinois girls' eight. The Chicks saved a shutout in the final inning when Imogene Lefler walked, sister Wilda Lefler hit a single and Kempfe's blow into right field scored them.

Score by innings, Monday game:

Cape Girardeau	000 004	3— 7
Sikeston	436 243	x—22

Batteries: Moore, Craft and Swaim; Estes and Barnhill.

Score by innings, Sunday game:

Sikeston	000 000	2—2
East St. Louis	020 041	x—7

Batteries: Estes and Sledge; Johannisohn and Vitale.

GLADE VIEW NEWS

Rev. Hilary Patterson was a visitor in the Dave Klingle home Wednesday.

Fred Bauer and Dave Klingle had business in Benton Monday.

There will be a revival meeting starting July 29th at Silent Hill Church. Rev. Lem Council of Sikeston will conduct the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Haire and Mrs. Annie Riley were guests of Mrs. Mason in Vanduser Monday.

Oda Masters of Sikeston will fill his regular appointment at Silent Hill Church Sunday.

Mrs. Fred C. Bauer and nephew, Roger Neal Shelby, were guests of Mrs. D. S. Murchinson in Charleston last Friday.

Crops in this vicinity are looking fairly good. Many are through laying by. Those who have not. soon will be finished and all hope for an abundant crop.

Mrs. T. J. Evans visited her daughter, Mrs. Hershel Asa, near Diehlstadt last week end.

Mrs. Monroe Stevens of Bloomfield was a visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Evans, the past week.

Bill, George and Maxine Dillender, Betty and Norman Yount, R. C. and Estelle Goetz, Dolph Hill, Charles Sturgeon and Lloyd Williams were guests of Miss Earline Riley at a fare-well party in honor of her brother, Roy Riley, who was leaving for New Madrid to enter the Conservation Camp there.

Guard Wins Close One From Reid

Company K and Reid Roofing made it an interesting fray Wednesday evening, each jumping to four runs in single spurts, the Guards then winning with another score in the seventh, 5-4.

Otherwise, with only seven hits apiece, the teams came to bat 11 times between them without productive results due to the fielding exhibited when needed.

W. Norman highlighted a five-hit salve with a man on base with a home run in the fourth, registering the fourth score of the inning for Reid. Scherer had led off with a single, Foster was next with a double, and Page laid out a safety to land on deck and await Norman's big smash.

Blanked until the fifth, both in hits and runs, the Guard connected three times and employed a walk and error for four runs that tied it. J. Gilbert got safe on and error, and Nickens and J. Miller followed with two-baggers. This was all until the seventh, when three blows good to first base, by G. Norman, Nickens and Miller, brought the run that counted most.

Company K	AB	R	H	E
J. Miller, sc.	4	0	2	0
Martin ,cf.	4	0	0	0
V. Sherry, 2b.	3	0	0	0
R. Sherry, p.	3	0	0	0
J. Gilbert, c.	2	1	1	0
Clark, ss.	3	1	1	0
H. Gilbert, lf.	3	1	0	0
G. Norman, 1b.	3	1	1	0
Nickens, rf.	3	1	2	0
Lufcy, 3b.	3	0	0	1
	31	5	7	1

Reid Roofing	AB	R	H	E
Foster, cf.	3	1	1	0
M. Page, 2b.	2	1	1	1
W. Norman, 1b.	3	1	2	1
Young, c.	3	0	1	0
C. Miller, lf.	2	0	0	0
Clippard, 3b.	3	0	0	0
Boyd, ss.	3	0	0	1
Campbell, rf.	3	0	1	1
Schwab, cf.	3	0	0	0
Scherer, p.	3	1	1	0
	28	4	7	4

Company K	000 400 1—5
Reid Roofing	004 000 0—4

Summary: Two-base hits, Nickens, J. Miller, Foster; home-run, W. Norman; double play, J. Miller to G. Norman; bases on balls, off Sherry 2, off Scherer 1; struck out, by Sherry 3, by Scherer 2; umpires, Deal, Gilbert, Caverno; scorer, Leo Smith.

About 365,000 grains of pollen are produced by a single dandelion blossom.

In England, the voting age for women is 30 years.

MOREHOUSE NEWS

ROSS FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. J. L. Place returned home Wednesday after visiting her children in St. Louis, her brother in Rantoul, Ill., and attending the eleventh family reunion and the 60th wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross of Paulding, Ohio. A basket dinner was held on the lawn. Mr. Ross is 80 and Mrs. Ross is 77.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cavins and sons, Freddie and Albert, of Granite City, Ill., spent Sunday and Monday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cavins.

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Grant of St. Louis spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spence, Jr.

Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Sarno left on their vacation Saturday, July 13. Dr. Sarno has enrolled for a post graduate course in surgery and pediatrics in the Presbyterian Hospital in New York. After finishing the course he will visit relatives and see the various places of interest. The return trip is planned by way of Canada. They will be accompanied by Dr. Sarno's brother, Louis.

Phillip Banks visited friends here Monday. Mr. Banks formerly operated a clothing store here, several years ago.

Harley Mathis of Flint. Mich., visited Mr. and Mrs. Dorcey Brown and family over the week end.

Mrs. John Porter of Parma is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mrs. Harry Shaplin and children of St. Louis are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McFarling.

Mrs. Byron Patterson and Mrs. Grunda Hutson transacted business in Cape Girardeau Monday evening.

J. W. Daughtery of Gideon was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. Birdie Gray is visiting relatives at Parma this week.

Noble Gaston left Tuesday for Detroit, Mich., where he will seek employment.

Mrs. Wm. Dillon had as her guest Friday, Mrs. Jessie Wilkins of New Madrid.

George Marlove, who has been visiting relatives in Hopkinsville, Ky., has returned home.

Jack Nolan of Portageville and Raymond Harris of New Madrid were Morehouse business visitors Wednesday.

Sikeston Standard $2 per year.

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she was more near the coast, but the idea was to get her away from London, so we sent for her yesterday, and she is now with us. The only thing that seems to trouble her is the voyage. She is a very bad traveler.

"Brian will be staying with his school, so wherever they go he will go. His is a naval school. You see, aunt and uncle, I want to tell you such a lot, oh such a lot, but I just must not, but I am going to tell you that everybody here has their chin up and through experience of other countries we know exactly what to do and how to do it. We are all fully prepared, and by the help of God we may win the final battle and bring peace to the world.

"I have already sent your letter on to John. Won't he be pleased. Do you know, we were all saying how nice if only Sheila could go out to you, so that she may not experience the horrors of warfare. So John said I'll write and see and explain. God has answered our prayers, so perhaps you may receive a letter from John.

"Sorry to say we haven't heard from young John for two months now. They say no news is good news. I hope so.

"Now, uncle, first thing in the morning I'll go and get a form which has to be signed by both parents and fill in all that's required and we'll let you know as soon as we fix up Sheila at this end, and when she will be starting —I do hope very soon, as each day counts. Mary, Eileen and Paddy are all keeping fit; likewise myself. We all send you our best wishes and do hope your country keeps out of the war. I do sincerely thank you all for your kindness. I'm afraid to tell you any news as I want you to get this letter, but believe me we are doing fine. Once more thanking you all. With much love from us all to you all."

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News of the Town

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter.—Phone 761W

Mrs. Melvin Dace and son who are visiting relatives in Sullivan, Mo., are expected to return home Monday.

Miss Mary Sidwell, who has attended the summer term of College at Ames. Ia., will come to Sikeston this week end for the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm and two children, Mrs. Louie Largent and children spent Sunday in Gideon, with relatives. Mrs. Largent was accompanied by her brother, Richard Mumma of Gideon, who had visited her for several weeks.

Mrs. W. O. Scott and Mrs. Jewell Gentles were in Cape Girardeau last Saturday.

Shad Old and Emanuel Schorle are employed with the Highway Department for the rest of the summer. They started work Monday.

The Dexter Swimming Pool is being cleaned and refilled Thursday, July 18. Free lighted picnic grounds.

Old Fashioned Garden Party and ice cream social at the home of Mrs. C. R. Auten, 1023 Ranney, Thursday, July 25, sponsored by the Modern Martha Class of the Christian Church.

Miss Mary Sikes will entertain with a swim party this Friday morning in compliment to her house guest, Miss Priscilla Leatherwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rayburn and daughter, Joan, will leave Saturday to spend their vacation with relatives in Salem, Ill., Beecher City, Ill., Hannibal, Mo., and St. Louis. They will be joined in Salem by their daughter, Miss Colleen, who is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rayburn.

Mrs. Paul E. Brown was hostess to her bridge club Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Leslie and son, Mrs. Harold Pitman and son and Frances Ann Newsum, spent Thursday with relativevs in Essex.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sharp spent Thursday at Paragould, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sexton drove to Camp Lewallen Sunday to accompany home their son, Jimmie, who had spent the week there in Scout Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Mow, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Mow, Jr., and their small son will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Marable near Charleston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Sidwell attended a reunion of the latter's family at Smithland, Ky., Sunday. They were accompanied there by Mrs. Sidwell's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mitchell of Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rayburn and daughter, Joan, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rister, enjoyed a picnic supper at Ellis Park near Cape Girardeau Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Rohald, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tucker and daughter of Poplar Bluff, spent last Sunday at Reelfoot Lake, Tenn.

The Jolly Twelve Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Glenn Matthews on Southwest Street. The next meting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Slinkard with Mrs. Arthur Reese, hostess.

Hiram Williams went to Cape Girardeau Monday to visit his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Hayden for a week.

Mrs. John T. Sikes will be hostess to bridge parties Friday and Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Huters and children have returned after a vacation trip to Miami, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hatfield and daughter, Margaret Ann, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Matthews III, children, Dot and Charles, and Mrs. Walter Clymer, were in St. Louis Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Edna Hedden of St. Louis was a week end guest of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hedden. She was enroute to Van Buren to teach at the Baptist Assembly in session there.

Mrs. Ada Dement of Rombaur, Mo., was a guest in the home of her son, Charles Dement, last week.

The condition of Miss Ruth McCoy, who underwent an operation at St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau last week, is reported as much improved.

Mrs. J. R. Harwell and her mother, Mrs. R. M. Bugg, had as their guests Friday, Mrs. R. M. Swindle and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Wilson McDowell and the latter's daughter, Romona, of Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. W. R. Lair will entertain with a dessert bridge this Friday afternoon to compliment her sister, Mrs. Lynn Caruthers, who has recently moved here with Mr. Caruthers from Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Schuette and three children of Fornfelt were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm Tuesday.

Mrs. S. E. Reed was the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Max Reed in Morehouse Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frizzell and two children of Cape Girardeau visited Mrs. Frizzell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Swanner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richmond and daughters of Advance were guests of Mrs. Richmond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jenkins, on North Ranney Sunday. Sue Richmond remained for a longer visit with her grandparents and with Carol Patsy Sims.

Marjorie Malcolm and Ben Elizabeth Emerson will attend a birthday party in New Madrid Saturday afternoon, given by Mrs. Walter Edwards in honor of her daughter, Mary Lou.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Snodgrass and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mitchell and daughter of St. James, Mo., will spend this week end with Mrs. Snodgrass' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Watts. They will be accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Snodgrass' daughter, who has visited her grandparents for several weeks.

Patsy Ruth Gentles returned Tuesday from Portageville where she had visited her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Harris.

Mrs. Fred Harris entertained with a breakfast at the Colonial Tavern, Cape Girardeau, Thursday morning, complimenting her house guest, Mrs. Rex Whitton of Jefferson City.

Mrs. Birch Moll and Mrs. Joe Dowdy of Poplar Bluff were in Sikeston Wednesday afternoon to accompany Mrs. Pearman and daughter of St. Louis to their home for a visit.

Mrs. Leroy Leslie of this city, her sister, Mrs. Ed Marshall and daughter, Miss Virginia, of Charleston, will leave Saturday morning on a motor trip to Washington, D. C. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Marshall's older daughter, Miss Louise, who, employed in Washington, has been visiting her parents in Charleston.

Kenneth Gutman of Memphis, Mo., arrived Wednesday for an extended visit with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Myers.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Moselle William Monday, July 15, at their home near Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barber of Route 1, Morley, are parents of a son, Richard Allen, born at their home Wednesday, July 17.

LANDERS RIDGE CHURCH SPONSORS REVIVAL

There will be an open air revival beginning Sunday, July 28, on the lawn of James Lomax of Matthews, fostered by the Landers Ridge Baptist Church.

Rev. E. W. Milner will be the evangelist and Willard Sexton song director.

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Madrid, June 17. — Francisco Franco, Spain's chief of state, served notice on Britain Wednesday night that Spain expects to get Gibraltar back.

Speaking at the old royal palace to military naval and airforce leaders, the generlissimo declared it was the "duty of his regime to realize the testament of Queen Isabella—to make Gibraltar again Spanish, to expand in Africa and to conserve the national unity.

It was Franco's first official indorsement of the recent student and Falangist (Spanish Fascist) campaign for return of "the rock."

Gibraltar was annexed to the Spanish crown in 1502, after the Moors had lost it. In 1704 it was captured by a combined force of Dutch and British, and the Prince of Hesse-Darmstadt, fighting for the Archduke Charles of Austria. The Spaniards beseiged Gibraltar, without success, for three years and seven months—from 1779 to 1783.

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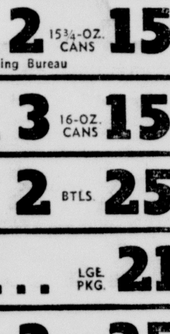

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Senator McReynolds spoke in Sikeston Tuesday evening from the stand in Railroad Park. As he failed to have his bills printed in either of the Sikeston newspaper offices we failed to hear his speech.

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Wilson Bell, publisher of a newspaper at Potosi and candidate for State Treasurer on the Democratic ticket, was a Sikeston visitor Tuesday in the interest of his candidacy. He made a mighty good impression on those with whom he met. He was accompanied by Lyman Matthews, of Farmington, but formerly of Sikeston.

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A farm woman near Lexington, Ky., knocked her husband in the head with an axe and gave as her reason that the said husband had threatened her and refused to give she and her sons such money as they wanted. Hope this mode of shuffling off this mortal coil will not become contagious in this community as a good many husbands might get the axe.

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Just a line to preachers who baptise their converts in the swift flowing waters of the East Ditch to place the victim with their head up the stream instead of head down the stream. The reason: At the Baptising Sunday last the dress of one woman who was immersed with her head down stream had her dress washed up and she wore nothing under the dress much to the mortification of onlookers.

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Let us say again that we are 100 per cent for the bond issue of $20,000 for the payment of the J. A. Sutterfield house and the remodeling of the same and equipment for a hospital. All know the need of such an institution and instead of sending patients to hospitals in other cities they can be treated in Sikeston just as well. We hope there will not be a single ballot cast against this bond issue.

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Jumps Cauthorn, of St. Louis, jumped into The Standard office Tuesday afternoon for a visit then jumped out for a journey to Caruthersville. He didn't tell us what his business in Southeast Missouri was, but he talked like he was for Harry Truman for re-election as United States Senator and Lawrence McDaniel for Governor, or that was our impression after hearing him talk and all who know Jumps, know he can talk. Fact of the matter, some years ago Jumps talked us into paying in hard cash $500 for a Poland-China boar pig that a year or two later we couldn't give away and finally shipped him to St. Louis where he was sold for $26. When Jumps was reminded of that pig deal he told us that he told other Poland-China breeders that we resold this pig for $800 making a nice profit in the transaction. That is Jumps, all right, but as he was born in Monroe County our former home, we must stand together for Truman and McDaniel.

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A cold-blooded bunch of politicians are busy just now throwing the harpoon into Judge Douglas because he has written a letter in behalf of his fellow townsman, Lawrence McDaniel, for governor. When Douglas was a candidate, he had the active support of McDaniel and evidently Judge Douglas did not forget the kindness shown him. No nobler virtue warms the heart of a human being than that of gratitude. The person who does not appreciate a favor shown him can have none of the finer qualities of humanity. We are glad that Judge Douglas wrote the letter—it shows that he has a fellow feeling that makes him wondrous kind and fine.—Jefferson City Capital News.

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Hon. Louis N. Wolf, of Joplin, candidate for the Springfield Supreme Court of Appeals, short term, was a Sikeston visitor Tuesday evening and called at the Standard office. We found him to be a very agreeable gentleman and were glad for the visit.

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Looks Like It's All Cotton This Summer, My Dear

"Bedspreads" turn into house coats; "bath mats" into jackets; "Army tents" make cute raincoats; napkins become dresses, and "towels" . . . well, they make perfectly swell beach capes.

Add up all these things and you get a bird's eye preview of summer fashions. Bedspreads, bath mats, army tents, tablecloths and towels all are made of cotton. And cotton is the fabric for spring and summer.

Mary Nell Porter of Memphis, Tenn., the National Cotton Council's 1940 Maid of Cotton, set out recently to sell the country the idea of using more cotton goods. Mary Nell explains that when we use this white fluffy stuff we help the South. The result is more money in our own pockets.

In a way, Mary Nell is a cotton expert. Her entire wardrobe is made of cotton. And we said entire! When the average girl thinks of cotton stockings, she shudders and pictures lumpy sagging hose which make her legs look like a football player's. But that's not the case! Mary Nell's cotton hose are as sheer as a wisp of smoke and . . . get this, girls! . . . you can snag 'em all you like and they won't unravel.

And as for "unmentionables," don't get the idea that you stopped wearing cotton undies when you outgrew your last pair of rompers and all that went with them. They're as dainty and feminine as perfume, and as different from old-fashioned bloomers as night and day!

Shoes . . . ? Say, if Cinderella had worn a pair of gingham plaid "wedges" instead of glass slippers, she would have never been careless enough to lose one! You absolutely can't go wrong if you plan to wear cotton shoes for summer.

To wear cotton this year is to be ultra sophisticated. The latest models are form-fitting as gloves and cool as air-conditioning. Daytime cotton dresses range from adorable school girl styles with tiny checks no bigger than that, to swanky and veddy, veddy sleek cotton laces that can be worn to Mrs. Astor's tea.

Remember the time when a cotton bathing suit was a droopy knitted garment? You took your life in your hands every time you went near the water in one of those old-timey models. What progress we've made. To be tops in fashion this year you wear a cotton suit.

The materials used in these suits are ginghams, percales, piques, chambrays and anything else that strikes your fancy. The most popular style consists of a tiny "top", a bare midriff, and a very short and very ruffled ballet skirt over tiny cotton bloomers.

Don't worry, ladies, the suits are preshrunk. More than that, some of them are water-repellent. You can stay in the water about thirty minutes before they get wet.

Practically all of the summer sports clothes are made of cotton. They are bright gabardine skirts cunningly flared to give you a waist no bigger 'n' a thimble. The pockets on these skirts are designed along the lines of a small pouch—they hold everything from your lipstick to a set of encyclopedias.

It is hard to believe this, but there is such a thing as cotton jewelry. In Mary Nell's "gadget box" there are two perfect cotton bolls. Jewelry? In a way, yes. Mary Nell clips them in her hair for evening. They're very compliment-provoking.

Army tents are of waterproofed cotton, so why not raincoats? As a motter of fact, there are a number of cotton raincoats, both lightweight and heavy, plain and fancy. Some of the styles are printed with plaids, as Scotch as bagpipes.

And hats . . . It's taken for granted that nothing can surprise you in hat styles, so we'll take up from there and tell you that spring and summer hats (at least, some of them) are made of cotton.

Nighties come last of all. The cotton ones are soft, and cool and sheer. Some are ruffled to within an inch of their lives while others are beautifully tailored and sewn by hand.

It's definitely a cotton summer!

LOCAL FORD DEALERS HOLD TRUCK JAMBOREE

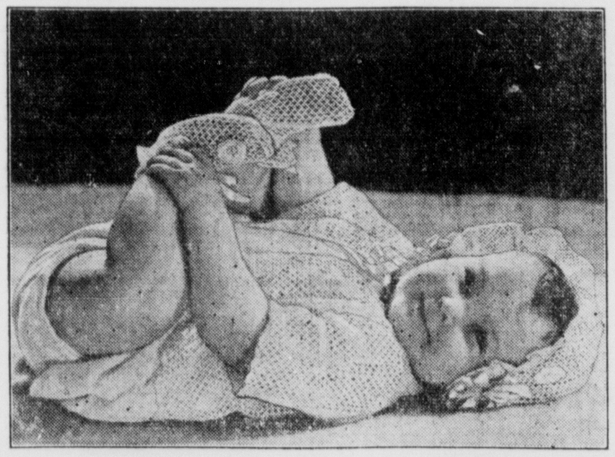
Over 100 truck operators and drivers were guests of Ralph Williams and Herb Walton, proprietors of the Walton-Williams Motor Co. dealing in the Ford, Mercury and Lincoln Zepher here, the past week. The party opened with a movie which included the showing of pictures covering the scientific side of the Ford Motor Co. It offered some very educational features, as well as fine entertainment. The program also included a picture portraying the important part that the truck plays in every-day living. The windup was an interesting and picturesque film entitled, "A Trip Through the 1940 World's Fair at New York" Following the pictures the Ford Motor Co. zone manager, R. W. Waircher, acted as master of ceremonies, and along with introducting the dealer's organization he made a short talk. Harry Eschenroeder, Ford truck supervisor, also spoke. Refreshments were served afterwards.

DR. PAYNE HOME BURNS AT ST. LOUIS

The home of Dr. and Mrs. Richard Payne in St. Louis County was destroyed by fire last week and only a few household goods were saved, including some family silver, china and two rooms of bedroom furniture. Mrs. Payne is the sister of Mrs. Leonard McMullin of Sikeston and daughter of A. J. Matthews of Portageville, formerly of Sikeston. Mr. Matthews had arrived at the home of his daughter about 30 minutes before the blaze was discovered. Mrs. Matthews and the maid were also at the 10-room residence on Lindbergh Drive at the time. Dr. Payne and sons, Richard and Spencer, were away.

The spire of only one English cathedral, that at Chichester, can be seen from the sea.

For Baby's Dress-Up Days



Crochet your very youngest a complete ensemble for her big-occasion days, and listen to her gurgle with delight. This little outfit includes a sweet cap to set her curls, a cozy sacque, and tiny bootees. Worked in Irish crochet, it is especially cunning for its shamrocks and rosettes. Baby garments will be judged in the Nation-Wide Crochet Contest this fall too, and this is the type of entry that might well win a prize. All entries must be made of mercerized crochet cotton, and must have won a first prize in a 1940 local, county, or state Fair. Directions for crocheting the set, and details of the Contest may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the National Needlecraft Bureau, 385 Fifth Avenue, New York City. Specify No. 544.

Bijou Has Easy Go, 12-2 With Local

Bijou kept the ball traveling all over the outfield in a dynamic batting attack that gave the Confectionery a 12-2 decision over Local Truck in the National League Tuesday night at the softball field.

Bijou artillery drove out 14 hits—five doubles, two triples and a home run—while the Truckers accounted for four safeties, and played the game without an error.

Ray Marsh wound up a four-hit drive in the first inning with a home run with one on that made a total of six runs for the Confectionery. The "Tech" ten sailed along, adding one each in the third and fifth, and concluding with a five-hit rally in the sixth that produced four runs.

Charlie Beal's single, followed by four walks, gave the Truckers their pair of runs in the third.

In holding the Locals to four hits, Bill Simmons struck out eight.

Local Truck	AB	R	H	E
Kindred, 3b.	3	0	0	1
Wilson, c.	2	0	0	0
Cox, lf.	3	0	0	0
Galvin, 2b.	3	0	0	0
Fox, ss.	3	0	0	0
Stacy, 1b.	2	0	1	1
C. Carter, sc.	2	0	0	1
Beal, cf.	3	1	3	0
Bartlett, rf.	1	1	0	0
F. Bowman, p.	1	0	0	0
Clinton—x	1	0	0	0
	24	2	4	3

Bijou	AB	R	H	E
Lambert, sc.	4	1	2	0
Lancaster, 3b.	2	0	1	0
B. Montgomery, 3b.	2	1	1	0
Rafferty, c.	4	3	3	0
Cl. Beal, rf.	2	0	1	0
Watson, rf.	1	1	0	1
Hill, cf.	4	1	0	0
E. Williams, 1b.	3	0	1	0
Golladay, ss.	3	1	2	0
Zacher, 2b.	1	1	1	0
R. Marsh, 2b.	2	1	1	0
F. Swaim, lf.	2	1	0	0
Simmons, p.	3	1	1	0
	33	12	14	0

Local Truck	022	000	0— 2
Bijou	601	014	x—12

Summary: Two-base hits, Rafferty, Zacher, Clem Beal, Montgomery, Lambert; three-base hits, Golladay, Rafferty; home run, Marsh; double play, Lambert to Rafferty; bases on balls, off Bowman 2, off Simmons 7; struck out, by Bowman 1, by Simmons 8; umpires, Deal, Gilbert and Parks; scorer, Leo Smith.

All-Star Twin Bill Tonight

The Dexter Toppers and Cairo, Ill., softball team will mix with two Sikeston All-Star teams this Thursday evening, July 18, at the softball field.

"Shorty" Crain and Frank Clinton will manage the local aggregations.

The first game will be at 7:30 p. m. Admission willl be 5 and 10 cents.

ISCO Trips Dempster Team, 7-6

In one of the tensest games ever seen on the local softball field—which was something of a family affair, too—International Shoe broke through a deadlock after two extra innings to defeat Dempster Furniture, 7-6, Tuesday night.

It was not the score itself so much as the story behind it. Ray Bandy and Carl Eaton, ace players on the Shoe Factory, had been traded Monday night to the Furniture team, which is a contender for the American League crown. ISCO secured Gray and Radcliff from Dempster's in the deal.

Naturally, the remaining Internationals didn't want the opinion to get about that they were ready for the shelf. So in the pinches they played superhuman ball.

Shoe Factory began early, and by the third inning had a 6-3 lead, Tope gaining a home run in the third.

The exchanges, Bandy and Eaton, almost wrecked the aims of the Shoe Factory. In the seventh they were chiefly responsible for tying the score. After Dover had walked and Dempster hit into an error, Bandy singled and Eaton came along with a bounding three bagger.

These three runs tied the score. Dempster's got three men on base in the eighth, on an error and two hits, including a double by Jones, but the ISCO men tightened, caught a man at home plate and shut off the threat.

Then in the last of the ninth came the climax. Bartholomew singled, stole second, and Weeks' safety drove in Curt.

Dempster's with 11 hits were three ahead of ISCO.

Dempster	AB	R	H	E
R. Bandy, ss.	4	3	3	1
B. Aldridge, lf.	5	0	1	0
Treece, cf.	4	0	0	0
Eaton, 1b.	4	0	2	0
Hale, rf.	4	0	1	0
Ables, c.	4	0	0	1
Bray, 3b.	4	0	1	0
Jones, sc.	4	0	1	0
Dover, 2b.	3	1	1	1
Dempster, p.	4	2	1	0
	39	6	11	3

ISCO	AB	R	H	E
P. Crain, lf.	4	0	1	1
B. Crain, sc.	4	1	1	0
F. Tope, ss.	4	1	1	1
Bartholomew, 3b.	4	1	2	0
Weeks, rf.	4	1	2	0
Puckett, 1b.	2	0	0	0
D. Tope, c.	3	0	0	0
Lee Page, 2b.	3	1	1	1
Chaney, cf.	1	0	0	0
Shelby, cf.	2	0	0	0
Bennett, p.	3	0	0	0
	34	7	8	3

Dempster	102	003	000—6
ISCO	312	000	001—7

Summary: Two-base hits, Bartholomew, B. Crain, Weeks, Bandy 2, Dempster, Jones; three-base hit, Eaton; home run, Tope; bases on balls, off Bennett 4, off Dempster 1; struck out, by Bennett 3, by Dempster 1; umpires, Deal, Gilbert, Crane; scorer, Leo Smith.

In the steel industry, "stripping" refers to the removal of ingot molds from ingot.

Cape Nipped In Sixth by All-Stars, 3-2

Arthur Bruce's happy triple, one of those do-or-die, Ned-Brant-at-Carter brand of flying finishes, was the impetus needed to supply the game with a 3-2 victory over the Cape Girardeau Merchants Monday night at the softball field.

The Merchants, whose two runs picked up the first inning held sway until the last of the sixth, were in front of the All-Stars by one notch until this thrilling episode.

Bartholomew connected for a single, and Bruce topped it off with the three-bagger, following Bartholomew in home on a fielder's error for the winning run.

PERFECT FIELDING

For Sikeston it was a game of faultless fielding and of five hits for the Cape ten which Jimmy Law mixed thin and spread far.

By a fortunate sequence, the Merchants hopped into the lead at the start. Law's only walk issued put Mayhew on base, Bauer followed with a single and Herbst accounted for Cape's only extra-base hit with a three-bagger that scored the first two.

Although Sikeston got seven safeties, three of them for more than one lap, it was three errors in a row that gave the All-Stars their lone score, made in the second by Crain, until the blazing climax.

Law struck out three men, and "Flossie" Williams of Morley, in harness for the Merchants, did not gain a strikeout and did not walk any.

Sherry got a double and single in two times up.

The game was a benefit for Henry Bennett, ISCO pitcher who suffered a broken nose in a recent league game.

Cape Girardeau	AB	R	H	E
Mayhew, ss.	2	1	0	1
Bauer, lf.	3	1	2	1
Birk, rf.	3	0	0	0
Herbst, 3b.	3	0	1	0
Leher, cf.	3	0	2	0
Rudert, sc.	3	0	0	0
Nenninger, 1b.	3	0	0	0
Hellewege, 2b.	3	0	0	2
Kies, c.	1	0	0	0
Williams, p.	2	0	0	0
	26	2	5	4

Sikeston	AB	R	H	E
Bandy, ss.	3	0	1	0
Eaton, 1b.	3	0	1	0
F. Tope, 2b.	3	0	1	0
Bartholomew, 3b.	3	1	1	0
Bruce, lf.	3	1	1	0
Crain, sc.	3	1	0	0
Tandy, rf.	3	0	0	0
Puckett, c.	3	0	0	0
R. Sherry, cf.	2	0	2	0
Law, p.	2	0	0	0
	28	3	7	0

Cape Girardeau	200	000	0—2
Sikeston	010	002	x—3

Summary: Two-base hits, Tope, Sherry; three-base hit, Bruce; bases on balls, off Williams 0, off Law 1; struck out, by Williams 0, by Law 3; double play, Rudert to Kies; umpires, Mow, Deal T. Kirby; scorer, Leo Smith.

Adult male eagles are smaller than the females.

Dearmont's Manager Out for McDaniel

Another blow was delivered at the McReynolds - for - Governor movement and at the program of misrepresentation being directed by him at Lawrence McDaniel of St. Louis when R. K. ("Kent") Wilson, campaign manager for Russell L. Dearmont in 1932, declared in favor of the St. Louisan and agreed to take an active part in his campaign management. Wilson, always an anti-machine man and a strong individualist, is publisher of the Cash-Book at Jackson, Cape Girardeau County. In addition to an editorial stand taken in his newspaper, Mr. Wilson made the following statement to the press in general:

"In 1932, Mr. McDaniel went down the line for Russell Dearmont's campaign, which I managed, and I see no reason why I should dessert him now. He has always supported good men and, in many instances, rural men. In my estimation, he's never been a machine candidate and I certainly would not hold it against him that he is from the City of St. Louis. Not only his support of Dearmont, but his active interest in the campaign of Judge James M. Douglas for Supreme Judge in 1938 brands him as a man who thinks and acts independently. I have known him for many years and know him to be fair, capable and fearless in his official conduct. Furthermore, he has always been a regular Democrat and untiring in his work for the entire ticket in any election."

ELDER JOHN B. HUFFMAN DONATES FARM TO CHURCH

I have some farms in the State of Arkansas, and I have donated 132 acres of land in the woods, the first 40 being only about a half mile from the town of Williford. This entire tract I freely donate to the church building in course of construction on lots 18 and 19, block 18, McCoy & Tanner Third Addition to the City of Sikeston.

If any one who reads this wants to purchase this tract of land for cash, I will be glad to sell it and donate every penny of the sale price on the building fund, to pay on erection of this church building. Must have the cash in order to have for use in purchasing building material and paying for labor on the new church building, which will be known as "The Latter Rain Tabernacle."

Again, must thank every one who has donated any money toward the erection of this church building. Either hand to me in person, or send any donations to Elder John B. Huffman, Box 248, Sikeston, and I guarantee that every penny—and more—will be used in erecting this new church building. I thank The Standard for publishing the notice.

John B. Huffman.

Why bother to bathe—if your suit has "B. O." . . . As your friend, we feel duty bound to tell you, switch to a cool, clean, washable Palm Beach. Buckner-Ragsdale Co.

Start Is Made on New Mississippi Span at Chester

Chester, Ill., July 15.—Mayor E. J. Uffelman of Chester turned the first spadeful of earth today as excavation began for preliminary construction work on the $1,200,000 highway bridge that will span the Mississippi, linking Missouri Highway 51 and Illinois Highway f between Chester and Perryville, Mo.

The preliminary work calls for construction of two concrete pier footings on the Illinois side. Letting of contracts for other work is expected within two months.

It is estimated that construction of the bridge will require two years. It will be financed by toll revenue bonds.

With no bridge across the river now between St. Louis and Cape Girardeau, completion of the bridge will break a 130-mile long unspanned stretch of the Mississippi.

LUSK CHAPEL EXTENSION CLUB ORGANIZED

The newly organized Extension Club of Lusk Chapel met with Mrs. C. E, Morgan on July 5. Two new members, Mrs. Marjorie Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Vaughn, were added to the club.

Mrs. Helen Rhodes led the club in singing "Juanita." Prayer was led by Mrs. Vaughn and "A Daily Prayer" was read in unison.

The name "Industrious Homemakers" was chosen for the club. The motto: "All workers and no shirkers." The Standard of Achievement was reviewed by the president, Mrs. Fred Showmaker after which the club set their goal "To as nearly as possible reach the Standard of Achievement."

Mrs. Morgan's garden was inspected and method of storing onions and other vegetables was discussed. Mrs. Morgan gave a report on her garden, the number of cans of vegetables canned and discussed planting late garden.

The next meeting was announced for July 23, with Mrs. Showmaker, beginning at 2:00 p. m.

BOTTLE AFLOAT 30 YEARS IS SENT BACK TO JAPAN

Hoquiam, Wash.—A bottle tossed into the Pacific Ocean off Japan in 1910 was picked up on the beach here recently and sent back to the Japanese Government.

The find was made by Frank Burke who said he saw what appeared to be a mass of barnacles floating in the serf. Examination revealed the sea growth covered the bottle. A note inside, printed in Japanese and English, explained the bottle had been thrown into the water thirty years ago. The finder was requested to return the bottle with data on where it was found and the date.

Of the total motor vehicles registration fees collected by the 48 states during 1939, motor trucks paid 29.2 per cent, or approximately $99,000,000.

HOUSTON COTTONS TO COTTON

Cooperating with the National Cotton Council and the cotton exchanges of New Orleans, Memphis and Dallas, members of the Houston Cotton Exchange recently appeared on the floor for trading in full cotton outfits, giving practical emphasis to cotton clothing for men in the South. Standing before the board in their new cotton suits are (left to right) Exchange Secretary J. F. Burwell, President L. R. C. Towles, and Vice-President K. E. Womack. Shoes and belts are the only articles not made of cotton.

Phillips 66

No guarantee is better than the people who make it! When you buy Lee Tires at a Phillips 66 station . . . you get a double guarantee . . . backed by both Lee and Phillips. That guarantee covers all road hazards for a full 12 months. And we mean ALL! And that guarantee is good anywhere . . . at Phillips 66 stations . . . or at any other Lee dealer in all 48 states!

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SYNOPSIS

Marianne de Beaumanoir, belle of Paris, comes to New Orleans to take over a plantation left her by an uncle. On the boat, she has an encounter with a man whom she takes to be a ship's officer. So entranced is she that she wants to have a party for the ship's crew when the boat docks. Then she learns next day that they have stiled. But she is shocked to find that the "officer," is Charles, a bondsman sold to her plantation manager and now a servant of her household. As the days go by, she is aware of Charles' attractions but disapproves of him at the same time. Then, after a ball one night, she discovers that he is really the Duke de Villiers, celebrated Don Juan of Paris, for whom the King's police are now searching.

CHAPTER THREE

Dazedly, she looked at de Ribaud who had now risen to leave.

He said, "And so, with your permission, Mademoiselle, we will inspect your plantation, along with the others, in the morning. I've declared martial law and I can assure you, that by tomorrow, the Duke will be going back to France—in irons."

She nodded. "Leaving behind some other misguided woman, I suppose," she said quietly.

A few minutes later she was alone. Then she rang the bell-cord furiously and when Charles appeared, she demanded, "Where's your wig, Charles?" He stared. "Well," she said harshly, "lackeys wear wigs on duty, don't they?"

His eyes clouded over. "They may happen to be in a mood to forget such details, Mademoiselle."

"I'm not interested in your moods." She fixed him with her eyes. "So your name is Charles Michon?"

"Not much of a name, I'll admit," he said lightly. "Does it matter?"

"No name," she said icily, "is too small or too great to be disgraced." She was almost talking to herself. "And when a man takes unfair advantage of a woman's emotions he does disgrace himself." Yes, he'd been diverting himself with her a while ago, just as he'd done with the Princess de Caravail and all those other silly creatures who had lost their hearts to him. But that he should be sent back to his death was unthinkable. The man was too young to die. Besides, perhaps if he lived long enough, he might some day repent.

"Technical to the last, eh Monsieur?"

"Charles," she said bitingly, "you'll go and pack immediately. I'm selling you to the Marquesa de Villarosa at Baton Rouge. If you're found in New Orleans an hour from now I'll have you whipped. Here's a note to her."

"Whipped?" he asked incredulously.

"Yes, whipped," she cried. "You deserve to be whipped. I'm being merciful in selling you."

A furious color rose in his face. "Don't strain your mercy to its breaking point, Mademoiselle. I'll be glad to go and I'll ride fast."

He made a flourishing bow. "Adieu Mademoiselle. You are a foolish, spoiled aristocrat but thanks for the kiss—before I forget it."

Her voice rose in a hysterical shriek. "I have forgotten it." Then a torrent of tears poured from her eyes.

She was still weeping, just an hour later, when the belfry tower bell tolled. Then everything began to happen thick and fast. Brugnon burst in with the news that the bondsmen had broken loose. Some shots had been fired. A few had been killed. But the rest were gone on their stolen ship, the "New Moon," including the Duke de Villiers. They were well on their way to sea by now.

It was when Ribaud and the Governor were sitting in the library making plans to follow after them that very night in a commandeered battleship that Marianne made her decision. She too, would go along with them. There was nothing more here for her in New Orleans. Only Paris could bring solace again to her aching heart.

The "Fleur-de-lys," sailed in the morning and Marianne was wanly amused to note that it had a romantic mission too. Aboard was a consignment of brides from France on their way to Martinique where the boat would eventually arrive—after the capture of the "New Moon," of course.

They were well out to sea that evening when suddenly there came a roar of cannon. Marianne screamed and with the others ran up to the deck. Men were shouting and then there was a great deal of noise above and below. Another boat standing alongside.

Then she froze as she heard Charles' voice. He was talking to Ribaud. "No, my dear sir," he was saying, "I have not entered into piracy at all. It merely meant attacking before we ourselves were attacked."

Ribaud looked at him coldly. "I only know men by their deeds. In the name of His Majesty, the King of France, I place you, Charles Henri de Villiers, under arrest."

Charles smiled. "Technical to the last, eh, Monsieur?" He snapped to two of his men, "Confine this man to his quarters with due regards and suspicion." Ribaud was led away.

Now Charles began barking orders on all sides but finally Marianne made her way to his side.

He almost shouted with laughter as he saw her. "Oh, oh. Well. Welcome to my ship, Mademoiselle."

Her eyes flashed. "Impersonating captains seems quite your hobby doesn't it?"

Quite visibly, his jaw set. "State your request plainly and shortly, Mademoiselle."

"I demand to be taken back to New Orleans immediately."

His expression was glacial. "In due time, I'll dispose of you for the best, Mademoiselle. As you are no longer in a position to give me orders you'll please obey the rules I've established and wait, with the other women, for further instructions."

With a sudden gesture she tore her jeweled necklace from her neck and held it out. "I presume pirates like you can be bought. Is this enough to have me taken back to Louisiana?"

"Just enough," he said heavily, "to have you taken to the foc's'le, Mademoiselle de Beaumanoir." He called to one of his men. "Please lead the prisoner away."

Fuming didn't do any good and even helping to calm the frightened brides wouldn't put the thought of the man out of her head. But finally there was an ominous diversion. Out of nowhere it seemed, a storm came up. The winds howled and the sea heaved as if a giant were in its depths. The sails were reefed and it was all the two ships could do, to hold their own.

And then, the long, terrible night ended and when Marianne dared to go on deck at dawn, she saw that they had beached on a tiny island. She stood there in amazement, as the men began to carry provisions ashore. Then suddenly she was swept off the boat and to the beach with the others.

Charles stood before them and addressed them all. To each he gave orders. The men would start to build, immediately. The women would sort the food supplies. Their job was to feed the men.

Aunt Valerie was quite outraged. "You certainly don't expect us to become milkmaids—or do you?"

Marianne spoke to her. "You can tell Charles that we are quite capable of doing anything expected of anyone else—whether it's cooking or milking a goat!"

Charles nodded soberly. "What a charming outlook." He turned to Father Michel. "The sixty young women will be under your guardianship as long as we stay here." Then his voice rose, "Friends, out of this shipwreck, we can realize an ideal for which most of us left France—the creation of a community where every man and woman will be given the right to live with decency and self respect." He dipped his hand into a seedbag and made a broad gesture. "Like these seeds, we begin a new life."

(Marianne is about to enter into an existence utterly alien to her former way of living. Can she find happiness in this simple community or will there be other hostile influences to broaden the gap between herself and Charles. Be sure to read the next romantic installment.)

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The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the positions listed below. The salaries given are subject to a retirement deduction of 3½ percent. Applications must be on file with the Commission's Washington office not later than the closing dates specified in each case. Two closing dates are given for receipt of applications—the first, for applications received from States east of Colorado; the second, for those received from Colorado and States westward. For the examination for Teacher in Indian Community and Boarding Schools two additional closing dates are given for receipt of applications from persons in Alaska.

Teacher in Indian community and boarding schools, Indian Field Service (including Alaska). Department of the Interior. Various optional branches are given, with entrance salaries ranging from $1,620 to $2,000 a year. Applicants must have had aproximately college education and teaching experience. They must not have passed their forty-eighth birthday. Closing dates for receipt of applications for the continental United States are August 12 and August 15, 1940; for applications received from Alaska the closing dates are March 15, 1941, if received from points south of the Arctic Circle, and May 15, 1941, if received from points north of the Arctic Circle.

Senior laboratory mechanic (glassblower), $2,000 a year. Applicants must have had experience in a scientific or experimental laboratory in the development, maintenance, and repair of laboratory instruments; and experience as a glassblower in the manufacture of laboratory glassware. They must have reached their eighteenth, but must not have passed their fiftieth, birthday. Closing dates are August 12 and August 15, 1940.

Cotton technologist, $3,800 a year; senior, $4,700 a year; associate, $3,200 a year; assistant, $2,600 a year; Department of Agriculture. Optional branches are: Yarn and fabric manufacturing; textile chemistry, dyeing and finishing; fiber technology. Applicants for the senior grade must not have passed their sixtieth birthday; for the other grades they must not have passed their fifty-third birthday. Closing dates are August 12 and August 15, 1940.

Senior cook, $2,000 a year, Prison Service, Department of Justice. Applicants must be qualified both as general cook and as bread baker, and must have had certain experience in a hotel, club, hospital, or other institution as chef, head cook, or in a comparable capacity in which it was necessary to provide food for a least 600 meals daily. Applicants must have reached their twenty-fifth, but must not have passed their forty-eighth, birthday. Closing dates are August 5 and August 8, 1940.

Full information as to the requirements for these examinations, and application forms, may be obtained from Frank E. Sibley, Jr., Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, at the post office or customhouse in this city, or from the Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners at any first or second-class post office.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received in the office of the City Clerk, Sikeston, Missouri, up to five o'clock P. M., on Monday, the 22nd day of July, 1940, for furnishing material and labor in connection with the work of paving with concrete that portion of the roadway of Moore Avenue in the City of Sikeston, Missouri, from the south property line of Wakefield Avenue to a point sixty and eight tenths feet north of the north property line of Wallace Avenue, according to plans and specifications on file in my office, the work to be let as a whole and not subdivided.

All proposals must stipulate that contractor will accept in payment thereof Special tax bills issued against the property abutting on the improvement.

The pavement to be constructed is approximately 799.2 feet in length and approximately 27 feet wide between curbs.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. C. Barrett,
City Clerk, City of Sikeston.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Robert D. Lambert, Executor of the estate of H. D. Lambert, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executor at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be holden at Benton in said county, on the 5th day of August A. D. 1940.

ROBERT D. LAMBERT.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Mollie Goldstein, Executrix of the estate of Jacob Goldstein, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executrix at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be holden at Benton in said county, on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1940.

MOLLIE GOLDSTEIN

COUNTY CLERK'S NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION

State of Missouri)
)ss.
County of Scott)

Notice is hereby given, that a Primary Election will be held at the regular polling places in each precinct of said county of Scott, State of Missouri, and that the polls will be open between the hours of six (6) o'clock in the morning and seven (7) o'clock in the evening (unless the sun shall set after seven (7) o'clock when the polls shall be kept open until sunset), on the first Tuesday of August, 1940, being the 6th day of August, 1940, for the purpose of nominating candidates for State, District, County and Township offices, to be voted for at the General Election to be held on Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940; and for the purpose of electing Committeemen and Committeewomen for the several townships in the county.

That the hereinafter mentioned list contains the name and Post Office address of each candidate for nomination, together with a designation of the office for which he is a candidate, and the party or principle that he represents:

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For Committeewoman, Sandywoods Township:
MRS. GOLDIE PEARMAN
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State of Missouri)
)ss.
County of Scott)

I, Harry C. Watkins, Jr., Clerk of the County Court within and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct list containing the name and postoffice address of each candidate, together with a designation of the office for which he is a candidate, the party or principle he represents; also, the hours during which the polls will be open.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County Court. Done at office in Benton, this the 6th day of July, 1940.

(SEAL)

HARRY C. WATKINS, JR.,
Clerk of the County Court

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"You may never get another chance to see New York."

Andy HARDY MEETS DEBUTANTE

SYNOPSIS

Palpitating with bliss, Andy Hardy carries on a secret romance with Daphne Fowler, New York society's top glamour girl. He knows her only from magazine photos which he collects in a scrapbook. In fact, so great is his infatuation that he is inclined to break off his "steady" attachment with Polly Benedict. But at an editorial meeting of the "Carvel High Olympian" magazine, Beezy gets hold of his scrapbook and gives him the laugh for his imaginary romance. Andy is forced to put himself on the spot by declaring that Daphne has invited him to her debut and would probably marry him if only he could get to New York.

CHAPTER TWO

Everybody was assembled in the living room that evening and Andy had the feeling that Dad was about to make some portentous announcements. When Dad got that funny crooked smile on his face something was in the wind.

Then suddenly, everybody noticed it was seven o'clock and Marian wasn't home.

"Why don't we call the police station?" Andy asked brightly. "Or the hospitals?" He had an even better idea. "Or the morgue?"

"Andrew!" his mother cried out in horror.

Just then the door opened and Marian burst in. She was obviously on the verge of hysteria. Incoherently, she told them what had happened. She'd run into Aldrich Brown, Junior, just released from his sentence of one month in jail which Dad had given him for a third offense of reckless driving. He had said he was turning over a new leaf and begged her to come for a drive.

Out of sympathy she had agreed. "But at the Inn where we had lunch," she said tearfully, "he insisted on taking a lot of drinks. When we got back in the car he drove all over the country, ninety miles an hour and then—near Belleville—he passed out cold and I had to drive back."

Grimly, the Judge took Andy outside where Aldrich was slouched stupidly over the wheel. The Judge's voice was deadly quiet as he said, "Andrew, when anyone laughingly tells you what an amusing time they had being drunk—" he pointed sternly at Aldrich—"this is what they really mean. Does it strike you as being funny?"

Andy looked at the grotesque figure of the drunken man. "No sir," he said in a scared whisped.

"Take a good look at him," the Judge went on. "He can't see or hear or speak. This is man, that glorious creature, touched with divinity, capable of great music, great poetry, great leadership—man. With a bottle of whiskey inside him."

Completely subdued for once, Andy said, "It certainly is awful."

Now the Judge resumed his normal manner, "Come on Andy, we'll straighten him out, best we can, then get him home to bed as secretly as possible."

Andy's eyes bulged a few minutes later as the Judge brought out a pitcher of ice water and flung it into Aldrich's face. "No siree Dad," he gasped. "I'm pretty sure I an't ever gonna drink."

The job of depositing Aldrich in his bed had been accomplished without even his folks suspecting and now the Judge faced his little family once again in the living room. "Well," he said pleasantly, "to make a long story short we're all going to New York City for a visit."

Everyone cried out in delight. Why that was wonderful! Marvelous!

All but Andy. He was utterly aghast. "New York!" After the way he'd gone on about Daphne Fowler?

"Yes," his father said briskly. "Seems I've got to lick a big New York law firm. They're saying the Trust Fund that Cyrus Carvel left for the Orphanage is invalid and I'm out to prove it isn't. How's that sound, Andrew?"

Andy moistened his lips and looked at his Dad wild-eyed. "But—I—can't—go—to—New York."

The Judge and all the others stared at him. "Will miracles never cease? Why?"

Andy raged, "What do we have to go to New York for? Why, in New York vice and corruption flourish rampant. Any newspaper will tell you that. New York's—a sink of—of—well, it's a sink anyway. And I'm not gonna go. I wouldn't be safe."

There was a confused silence. No one could understand it. The Judge said carefully, "You may never get another chance to see New York."

There were tears of horror in Andy's eyes. Why, think of all those things he'd said about Daphne Fowler, about being invited to her debut and her wanting to marry him and all. If he went to New York and didn't make good on that stuff, he'd be ruined here in Carvel forever.

"What's New York got that Carvel hasn't? Just some high buildings, that's all." His voice tightened. "And what do people do when they get in high buildings? They jump out of windows, that's what they do. I tell you, New York's a den of evil."

Aunt Milly was hiding a smile behind her hand. Marian and Mrs. Hardy just looked amazed. Judge Hardy scratched his chin. "Well son, New York is evil in some of its aspects. But then so is every village and city in the world. The fact remains, we're leaving for New York day after tomorrow." He looked around at all of them. "And by the way, this thing's a secret until Mr. Benedict makes it public. Remember that, Andrew."

Andy spoke hollowly. "It's okay with me to keep it quiet for the next ten thousand years."

By morning though the "secret" was emblazoned right on the front page of the Carvel Daily Star:

"HARDY FAMILY TO NEW YORK
Local Jurist to Fight Trust for Carvel County Orphanage"

And sure enough Polly called that day. There was malice aforethought in her voice when she got Andy on the telephone. "You'll be glad to know we're printing the story of your flaming romance with Daphne Fowler in the high school magazine. And remember, you'd better bring back a picture of darling Daphne and you to illustrate the story or else. Not a fake one either."

Up to the very minute of train time the next day, Andy tried every trick he knew to stay behind. There was a little hope when Aldrich Brown, Jr., came in. Maybe he and Dad would have a fight and then they'd miss the train.

But no, Aldrich, the big lug, had to apologize for last night and tell Dad he was getting a job on the newspaper and would Dad and Marian believe in him.

Even Andy's manufactured stomachache and fever didn't do the trick. His father just looked at him hard heartedly and said nothing short of heart trouble would keep them from taking him along.

Their first glimpse of New York as they crossed on the New Jersey ferry, did something to Andy though. Maybe he didn't approve of the big city but he could still retain his artistic appreciation of those skyscrapers. In fact, he was beginning to perk up a little as they walked into the maisonette apartment up in the "fifties" that had been engaged for them.

But as they opened the door, everyone gasped. "Why it's Betsy Booth," the Judge exclaimed. "What are you doing here?"

Andy stared in amazement. He hadn't seen Betsy Booth since last year when she was visiting in Carvel. She looked a little more grownup now and prettier—though still a mere child.

There was a lot of excitement as Betsy explained everything. Her folks had been away when Mrs. Hardy's telegram had come. So she herself had gotten an apartment for them. It had really been easy, no trouble at all. She had just called the real estate man and there it was.

"My," Marian said, "and you even hired a servant all by yourself?"

"Of course I did," Betsy returned proudly. Her adoring eyes were fixed on Andy.

Mrs. Hardy turned to him. "You see Andrew even in New York nice girls think more about growing up to be a good house-wife than dancing the—the rumba."

"Ah Mom." He was in the throes of acute embarrassment before Betsy, "It's the rumba."

Betsy sighed happily. "I brought over my own radio for you Andy." She suddenly realized that the lovelight in her eyes was too apparent. "It's—it's just common gratitude because back in Carvel Andy took me to my first grown-up party."

Andy went into the bedroom with his father and the Judge smiled teasingly. "Son, how do you do it."

"Aw gee Dad, she don't mean anything. It's only—his chest expanded. "—only hero worship."

"Well, my hero," the Judge said briskly, "let's get unpacked."

The worse has happened to Andy. Now he must make good his boast about Daphne Fowler. But in a large city like New York, getting to know a glamour girl will take some doing. Can Betsy help him? Be sure to read the next exciting episode.

FIRE

Washington, D. C.—If a forest fire were raging over all of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and Massachusetts, the doings of Mr. A. Hitler would be shoved off, or at least into a corner of, the front page—and recent developments have shown that it takes some pushing to shove Audacious Adolf around.

Conflagrations which make a raging inferno of an area greater than that of the four New England states do take place each year in this country—but because the damage is not concentrated in one place at one time, these catastrophes pass practically unhearlded, according to The National Wildlife Federation.

The devastation wrecked by these blazes is not of a blitzkrieg nature—rather it is a relentless process that goes on and on like Tennyson's brook, despite the best efforts of man to halt it. There isn't a day in the year, nor an hour in the day that a forest fire is not raging somewhere in the United States. Statistics show that there were on an average of 172,000 fires annually through the five-year period from 1933 to 1937. This is an average of more than 471 fires a day, or almost 20 an hour—one every three minutes. Most amazing of all, by far the majority of these fires are man-made, and one-third of the ravaged timber lands of our country are set afire on purpose by incendiaries or people who fire the woods because they want to.

DIFFERENT MOTIVES

Intentional burners are not all alike in motive. A large number have economic reasons for burning. When no feed has been stored to carry cattle through the lean period of the year, they almost starve before the new grass comes in the spring. Burning off the old dead grass enables hungry cattle to get at the new growth a few days sooner.

This trouble is encountered mostly in the South, but no section of the land is wholly free from people who annually set ablaze thousands of acres of valuable timber for no better reason than their fathers and grandfathers did it.

Unemployment is responsible for many fires. Despite all precautions to avoid hiring men to fight a fire who may have had something to do with starting it, some men will set a fire to earn a few dollars when no other job is to be had.

CARELESSNESS CAUSES IT

Taking our forest lands as a whole, incendiaries, careless campers and smokers are responsible for more than half of the staggering total of fires each year. On National Forest lands, where better protection is afforded than on state and private owned lands, the loss from incendiaries is far less, while that from smokers and campers is about the same.

The greatest factor in curbing the ever-threatening red destroyer is education and more education. Efficient methods of combatting fires once they have started are, of course, imperative, but much more efficient is the instillation of proper knowledge to prevent forest fires.

New England has a good fire record, but this has been partly the result of a low fire hazard in the past. Driving in the White Mountains one can see tourist after tourist flip a burning cigarette butt out of a car window without thought.

New England is right now facing the worst fire hazard situation in its history. The hurricane of September of 1938 smashed over some 14,000,000 acres and left some 2½ billion board feet of trees in an indescribable swirl and tangle of windthrown timber, drying on the ground.

If ever a fire gets started in that immense tinder box, it may well turn the terrain into a holocaust that will make even the hurricane itself seem a mild visitation by comparison.

The gemsbok, a large South African antelope, never drinks water. The moisture it requires is obtained from the succulent bulbous plants on which it feeds.

If your suit isn't washable, it isn't a Mid-Summer Suit, that's why our advice to you is, choose a cool, clean, washable Palm Beach Suit. Buckner-Ragsdale Co.

Clark Supporting Moore and Collet For Appeals Post

Chicago, July 15. — United States Senator Bennett Champ Clark of Missouri today disclosed to the Star-Times that he has recommended Federal District Judges George H. Moore and J. Saskie Collet for appointment to the Eighth United States Circuit Court of Appeals. Judge Moore is a St. Louisian, while Judge Collet lives in Jefferson City.

There are two places to be filled on the appellate court bench as the result of the passage recently by congress and approval by President Roosevelt of a bill increasing the court from five to seven members in order to take care of its congested docket.

Seven states comprise the district and, although Missouri already has one judge on the court—Judge Kimbrough Stone—it is anticipated that another Misourian will be named as almost 50 per cent of the appeals come from Missouri.

Senator Clark's recommendations were submitted to the Department of Justice in response to a request, and the department will make the choice between Judges Moore and Collet, in the event one or the other is named. Both judges owe their original appointment to Clark and both are held in highest esteem at the Justice Department.

Here along with Clark for the Democratic National Convention, Senator Harry S. Truman said he has not been requested as yet to submit recommendations and insisted he will make no commitments until requested to do so by the Justice Department.

It is understood, however, that among his recommendations will be Judge Ernest M. Tipton of the Missouri Supreme Court. As revealed exclusively in the Star-Times recently, Judge Tipton has been actively soliciting the job and many Missouri lawyers have written both senators in his behalf.

The probabilities are that Truman will make no recommendations until after the August 6 primary, in which he is a candidate for re-nomination.

The word has been passed along to Senator Clark that it is unlikely that President Roosevelt will make any nominations for the two new judgeships until fall. Should congress adjourn, meanwhile, the President would have to make recess appointments and, in the event he isn't renominated and re-elected, the recipients might find themselves without a job, as it would be within the province of another President to withdraw the recess appointments and name others.

BLANTON MIGHT GET POST

If either Judge Moore or Judge Collet is nominated and confirmed, a vacancy will occur on the United States district bench in St. Louis. It may be filled by District Attorney Harry C. Blanton, as he is one of Clark's choices for the job, it is known. Blanton is regarded by the Justice Department as one of the country's most efficient district attorneys.

Another possibility for the district judgeship is Ruby M. Hulen of Columbia, long one of Clark's strongest supporters.

Clark declined, however, to say whom he might recommend to a district judgeship, pointing out there is no vacancy at present.

President Roosevelt appointed Judge Moore to the federal bench in 1935 and Judge Collet in 1937. United States circuit judges receive $12,500 a year, compared with $10,000 for district judges.

The Eighth Circuit covers Arkansas, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota. Present members of the court besides Judge Stone, whose home is in Kansas City, are Judges John B. Sanborn, St. Paul; Archibald K. Gardner, Aberdeen, S. D.; Joseph W. Woodrough, Omaha, and Seth Thomas, Fort Dodge, Ia.

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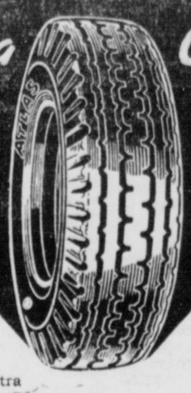

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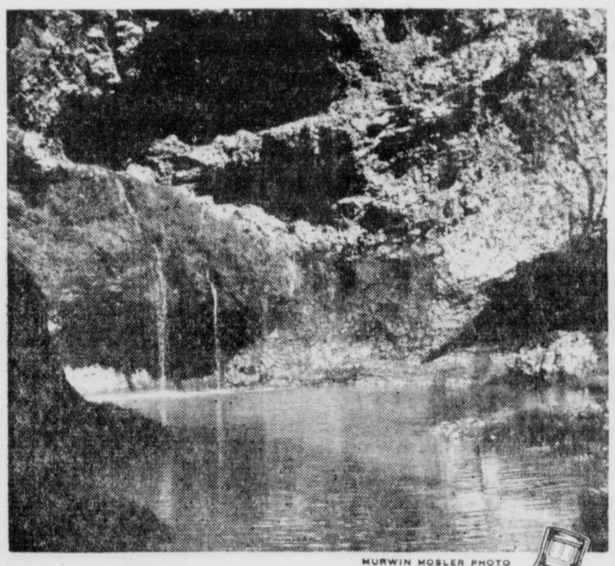

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V. L. (Red) KIRBY
WALTER ANCELL

NEW MADRID COUNTY
COUNTY ASSESSOR
J. W. DAUGHERTY

There was something pathetic about the statement of Senator McNary, when he was informed that he had been selected for second place on the Republican National ticket.

"I will be a good soldier and do the best I can," said the Oregon Senator. This sad utterance must be read in connection with the statement he made two days before he was drafted as the tail to Wendell Willkie's kite. Then he said, "The West which the Republicans must carry, will go against us if Mr. Willkie heads the ticket."

Senator McNary was one of half a hundred G. O. P. national legislators who announced that the choice of the utility magnate for the Presidential nomination spelled destruction to any chance for their party in the coming election. Another conspicuous prophet of disaster was Senator Thomas, Borah's successor in the upper House of Congress, who was quoted as saying that the naming of Willkie would be so definitely fatal to Republican hopes that he would not be a candidate for re-election. The Senator later back-tracked a little but there was no doubt of his distaste for the Willkie nomination.

Senator McNary had no reason to make a declaration along the Thomas line because his term as senator does not expire until 1943—and he is under no obligation to resign his post in order to "be a good soldier and do the best he can."

THE PUBLIC BE DAMNED

The reason advanced by the half hundred Republican legislators for their pessimism varied. Some of them thought it bad policy to name as their standard bearer a man who had held his allegiance in the Democratic party up to a few months ago. Others questioned the wisdom of nominating the head of a utility corporation at this time; others based their opposition on the candidate's total lack of experience in Government, and their doubts were not dissolved when York Times uttered these words: "The curse of democracy today in the United States as well as in Europe, is that every one has been trying to please the public."

A long time ago another head of a big corporation gained one sort of fame by putting the same thought into still briefer compass. That one said: "The public be damned."

Mr. Willkie has made no secret of his idea of a government's functions or the processes required for a successful administration. Most people have the idea that the welfare of the country includes such things, for example, as stepping in when starvation threatens a considerable number of the people, and curbing the exploitation of the many for the benefit of the few. But the Republican candidate very neatly defined his view of an administration in a newspaper interview reported by Merwin H. Brown in that all time Republican paper, the Buffalo News. He told the public then that "Government is nothing but big business and, if I am elected President, I will put the Government on a big business basis."

REMEMBER ELMER?

In view of these frank declarations it is not surprising that Big Business put over at the Republican convention the head of a Morgan merger the shares of which were unloaded on the public, at the height of the boom period at $27 a share and which have a market value for some time of from seventy-five cents to a dollar and a half.

It will be remembered that it was disclosed at a Congressional hearing that the Utility Companies originated the practice of flooding Congress with propaganda telegrams. Among others they had a freckled youth who testified that he was paid three cents for every telegram he sent. Elmer became famous in the headlines of that period. At Philadelphia Elmer was missing but evidently his soul went marching on for the delegates got identical telegrams by the bushel-basketful pleading with them to vote for Willkie at the same time the galleries were filled by Willkie shouttickets that none, except those in ers admitted on privately-printed the know, were aware had been issued.

That was the "popular uprising" which defeated the candidates for whom the people of the various States voted in the primaries. Naturally the G. O. P. newspapers and orators are striving to put before the country a plain, rough man, another Lincoln, whose heart beats for the common people, and whose rise from humble beginnings in a Horatio Alger story. He became a corporation lawyer at the first opportunity and was such a success at it that they took him into the business and he has been a conspicuous Utility man ever since.

ANSWERING THE "CALL"

Nobody can find fault with that he was picked for the new job by the same people who picked him for his other renumerative jobs. It would have been an honest thing had they proclaimed boldly that he was their man, chosen for the place because of his peculiar qualifications, instead of pretending that there was a nation-wide call. When they needed a deft, highly vocal resourceful president for a utility holding company they chose Willkie. When they needed a President of the United States they bushwhacked a Republican National Convention into nominating Willkie.

There is one thing that must be said for the corporate hierachy; they know what they want and will spare neither money nor pains to get it.

The regular campaign promises to be a repetition to the pre-convention campaign. The Liberty Leaguers past, present and prospective, will permit their candidate to shout his pieces in any tone he chooses, and they will take care of the finances without regard to the pious declaration against large campaign contributions.

A million dollars is still a million dollars, whether it comes with a million names or figures in a single bank book.—Charles Michelson.

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FARM INCOME UP

In 1932, when wheat was selling at the lowest price in 300 years, the one-fourth of our population engaged in farming had vanished from the market as customers for city goods. But under the New Deal, farm income has doubled.

WORLD MARKET SUSTAINED

By buying up price-depressing wheat and cotton surpluses from the farmers and selling them to exporters, the federal government has helped farmers to retain their share of the world market. This export subsidy program coupled with the Trade Agreements Program has helped reopen farmers' export markets.

SURPLUSES SALVAGED

Where perishable farm surpluses glutted the market, the government has purchased them for distribution to families on relief. Since 1933 these purchases have totalled enough to load 5,000 trains of 45 cars each.

ELECTRICITY EXTENDED

About one-fourth of the farms of this country now have electricity as compared with 1 in 10 in 1932. REA loans will provide service to 600,000 farm families.

FARM FAMILIES REHABILITATED

Rehabilitation loans have enabled 600,000 destitute farm families again to become self-supporting. Tenants are becoming owners through the land-purchase program.

MONEY GOES TO TOWN

Farmers are now able to buy as much from the city as they did in 1929. Retail sales of rural general merchandise have gone up by 102 per cent since 1932. Farmers bought their share of the great increase in durable goods and autos.

HOME MARKET RESTORED

A world market for the farmer's staples has meant the revival of city factories. Farmers with foreign markets are farmers with money in their pockets. One-fifth of all the factory workers reemployed since 1932 have gone back to work because of increased purchases by farm families. Then those factory hands became purchasers too.

CITIES ARE BETTER FED

The cities get this surplus food to feed their needy people, and thus build up this country's health defense. The corner grocer also profits where surplus distribution is done under the Food Stamp Plan.

APPLIANCE SALES UP

Arrival of electricity on American farms meant purchase of farm machinery, stoves, washing machines, irons, refrigerators, water pumps, plumbing supplies.

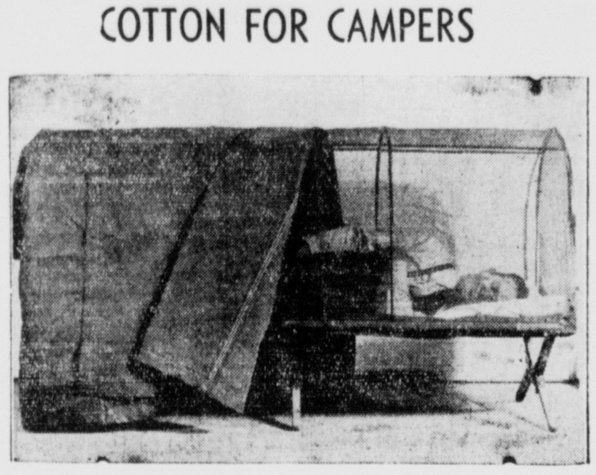
DEBTS PAID OFF

Families borrowing under Farm Security have repaid nearly a third of the money loaned to them, and with their credit made sound are community assets, not liabilities.

"The amount of commodities which farmers buy is necessarily limited by the purchasing power of their commodities in exchange for city goods and services. This is the heart of the farm income problem and the basis of an important part of the city business problem." — Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture.

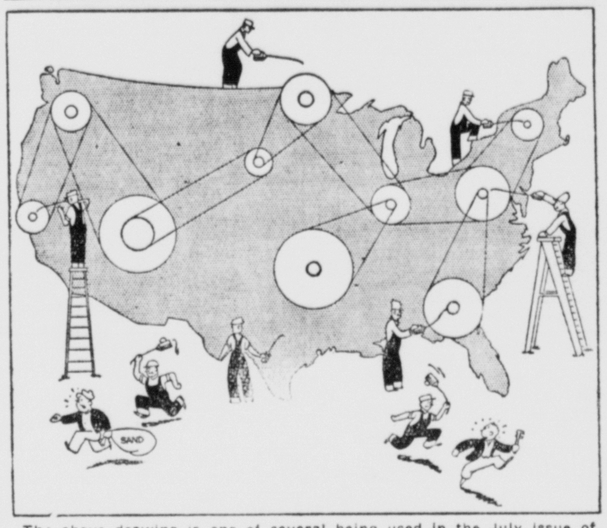
Only persons who have been dead for 25 years are considered for memorials in the Hall of Fame.

COTTON FOR CAMPERS



Developed as an aid to campers and sportsmen, a new type of cot-covering made at Little Rock, Arkansas, may prove to be a profitable outlet for cotton, the National Cotton Council has announced. The covering, complete with steel frame, insect bar, and cotton canvas cover, can be assembled in less than a minute and provides protection from insects, rain, and cold.

We Need Oilers, Not Fellows Throwing Sand in Gears, Declares W. S. Knudsen



The above drawing is one of several being used in the July issue of GM Folks, monthly pictorial magazine for all General Motors employes, to illustrate a recent address by William S. Knudsen.

"I want to make a plea to everybody who works, be he on a machine, on a stool, in an office or a manager—let us see if there is not some way whereby the proper understanding can be given to all of us so that the industrial machine, which all have helped to create in our country, can be kept running smoothly, efficiently and with the minimum amount of shutdown for repairs."

This was the plea uttered recently in an address by William S. Knudsen, President of General Motors, a short time before he was appointed to supervise industrial production in the national defense program.

"Let us have the proper number of oilers, rather than fellows throwing sand in the gears," Mr. Knudsen continued. "We all love our country, and the differences which appear at times are mostly based on different approaches to the problem. But with a clear understanding of these problems by the parties involved there is generally one right way of doing the job."

CATTLE GRADING MEETING JULY 24 AT PARMA

New Madrid County beef cattle raisers are invited to a grading meeting Wednesday, July 24, at 7:30 a. m. at the C. H. Post farm west of Parma.

County Agent Herlinger says that E. S. Matteson, extension livestock specialist, will discuss feeding and other management practices. Also present will be a salesman from one of the commission houses on the St. Louis market to sort the cattle into the various market classes and give the prices they would bring at St. Louis.

Every farmer interested in raising or feeding out beef cattle is cordially invited to attend.

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4. A man dedicated to the highest ideals, and the best interests of society.

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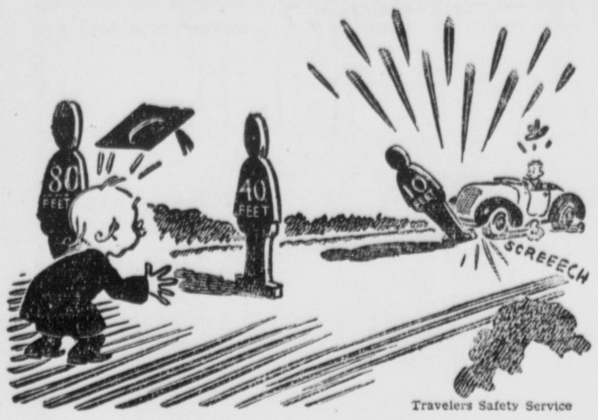
Auto Quiz No. 8



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1. When you are driving 40 miles an hour in a car with good brakes on a dry, level, concrete road, the shortest distance in which you can bring your car to a full stop is—(a) 10 to 15 feet. (b) 25 to 35 feet. (c) 40 to 50 feet. (d) on a dime. (e) 80 to 100 feet. (f) 125 to 150 feet.

2. When you double your speed, the distance in which your car can be brought to a stop after you apply the brakes—(a) remains the same. (b) is doubled. (c) is trebled. (d) is quadrupled.

3. It is more economical to drive at moderate speeds than at high speeds. True (—) or False(—).

News of the Town

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter.—Phone 761W

Mr. and Mrs. Sharron Pharris went to Memphis, Tenn., Tuesday to meet Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Mocabee, who have been on a Carribean cruise, and accompany them to Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. L. Kinder were in Van Buren Monday and Tuesday where the men attended a F. S. A. meeting.

Miss Evelyn Bowman of Lilbourn is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bohanan this week.

Mrs. E. A. Earl and granddaughters, Edna, Elsie and Betty Earl of Fairfield, O., are visiting Mrs. Earl's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pitman and little daughter, and Mrs. Pitman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McMullin of near Bertrand, expect to spend Sunday with relatives in Crystal City.

Mrs. George Kirk, Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Frank Van Horne visited Mrs. L. L. Conaster in Parma Monday afternoon. Mrs. Conaster and two sons, Larry Lee and Jerry Mack, expect to poin Mr. Conaster in Kennett soon and establish their home there.

W. C. Bowman, daughter, Mrs. Wm. Shanks and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Bowman, visited the latter's son, Phil, at the Boy Scout camp, Camp Lewallen, Saturday.

Mrs. George Lee, Mrs. C. H. Harrison and Mrs. Marvin Carroll spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Union City, Tenn. with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Welch and their daughter, Miss Caroline, who have resided in Bradenton, Fla., for several years, are visiting relatives in Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Malone of Baltimore, Md., arrived Monday evening to visit their parents for several weeks.

Nadine, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fox, is suffering from a strepococcus infection of the throat.

Louis Graber transacted business in Dyersburg, Tenn., this week.

Miss Venita Edwards of Jefferson City arrived Wednesday to visit relatives in Morehouse and Sikeston for a week.

Miss Phyllis Harrison is expected to return home Sunday after a visit with friends in St. Joseph, Mo.

Mrs. Joe Crouthers, daughter, Miss Opal Crouthers, Mrs. Shirley Bloomfield, Miss Eleanor Righter, Bob Weber and Juanita Murphy, attended a Christian Endeavor rally at Union Grove, near Bloomfield Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Buford Baber and two children of Dexter spent several days here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Baker.

Mrs. E. P. Francis of Fredericktown was a week end guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carroll.

Mrs. Louis Graber went to St. Louis Wednesday to visit relatives for several days.

Mrs. William Corrigan and son are visiting her aunt, Miss Nell Sullivan in St. Louis, while Mr. Corrigan and his brother, James, of Poplar Bluff, are making a motor trip west.

Mrs. Betty Matthews had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Klein and daughter, Miss Camille, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Matthews.

Mrs. Meredith Lee returned from Poplar Bluff Thursday after spending several days there as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harold Brase.

Mr. and Mrs. James McClellan had as guests in their home Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Linus Evans of Fredericktown, Mrs. Maxine Thomas and Mrs. Mayme Eskridge of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Sutterfield have moved from the Sutterfield Apartments to the Duncan property on South Scott and Daniel.

Miss Polly Lewis of Caruthersville came Sunday to visit Miss Ruth Struwe.

Mrs. James Malone and her sister-in-law, Mrs. G. C. Baker, Jr., were hostesses at a bunking party at the G. C. Baker, Sr., home last Friday night, followed by a buffet breakfast Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCormick of Webster Groves were week end guests of the former's cousin, Mrs. Ben Carroll and Mr. Carroll. They returned home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stewart, daughter, Janet Sue, and Mrs. Stewart's mother, Mrs. Wm. Swinney, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Childs and family in Bloomfield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lee were guests of relatives in Cape Girardeau this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson, their daughter, Betty, and son, Billy, expect to leave Saturday for a vacation trip to Michigan resorts. They also plan to visit the national music camp at Interlochen, Mich., while away.

Mrs. Scott Alexander of Charleston was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Matthews Wednesday.

The Woman's Junior Chamber of Commerce will enjoy a swimming party and picnic supper at Chaffee next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Billy Keith left Saturday for Bosworth, Mo., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodyard for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Matthews, son, Billy, daughter, Miss Betty Jo and Bois Reed Council, expect to attend a picnic for A. & P. store managers and employes at Lake Killarney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Baker were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Buford Baber and family in Dexter Saturday night and Sunday.

The Beta Sigma Phi Sorority had a porch party Monday night at the home of Miss Helen Virginia Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graber and son, Marlin, went to Camp Daroma, Holly Springs, Miss., Sunday where Marlin will spend two weeks.

E. J. Keith went to St. Louis Wednesday to spend the remainder of the week.

Mrs. Ronald Lee and Phyllis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Morrow, of this city, underwent tonsillectomies at Cape Girardeau Monday.

Bill Shain and John Hitt spent Tuesday in St. Louis.

Trudie Conrad returned to her home in Flat River last Thursday, after visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jos. Johnson, for several days. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Mary Ellen Johnson, for a visit.

Leonard Colley and Russell Cockrell accompanied their cousin, Mrs. Bill Barrett and family to Metropolis, Ill., Sunday, and returned to Sikeston that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Elmore of St. Louis visited the former's mother, Mrs. Ananda Elmore, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. B. L. Schubel and daughters, Lois, Kathryn and Barbara of St. Louis, arrived Sunday to visit the former's mother, Mrs. Amanda Elmore for a week.

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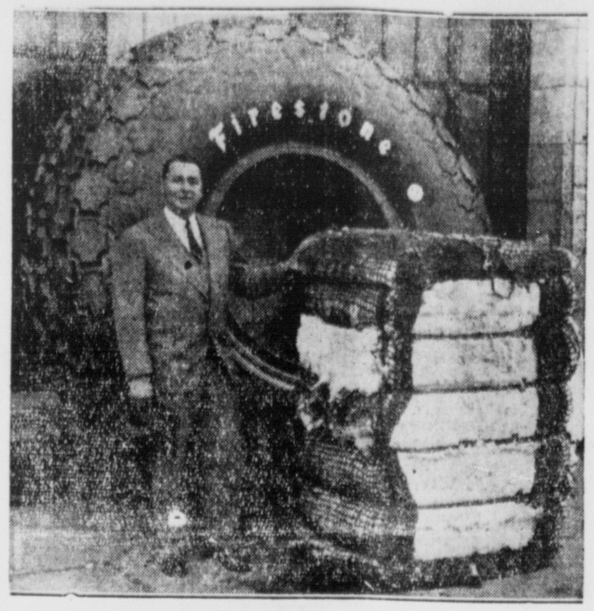
A BALE TO A TIRE



Manufacture of another tire as large as the one shown above would require more than a bale of cotton points out Everett R. Cook of Memphis, president of the cotton Research Foundation, new uses division of the National Cotton Council. The body of this largest tire in the world weighs 2,642.7 pounds, and has a carrying capacity of 45,800 pounds. Second largest single outlet for cotton, the tire industry consumes in excess of 500,000 bales annually. Seeking to protect the tire market from encroachments of rayon, the Foundation recently has filed patents on processes for making stronger cotton tire cords.

GET FREE TELEPHONE CALL AT WORLD'S FAIR

Sister Mary Peter, superior at St. Francis Xavier School her, had a unique experience this summer at the New York World's Fair. In visiting the telephone exhibit, which allows one person out of so many hundred to make a free telephone call anywhere in the United States, she happened to be the selection. She called Mrs. T. A. Slack of Sikeston, who is in a sanitarium at Tucson, Ariz.

In 1907, Sequin, Me., had 2734 hours of fog.

SEVERAL OF NEW MADRID COUNTY ON COTTON TOUR

New Madrid County was well represented on the Stoneville, Mississippi, ginners' and farmers' tour, according to County Agent Herlinger.

Twelve of the 37 farmers and ginners present were from this county. Of greatest interest to the delegation was the cotton "zoo," where the cotton geneticist has almost 2400 strains of more than 400 varieties of cotton from all over the world. This botanical garden is on the Delta Experiment Station. The group also visited the Cotton Laboratory, the Cotton Quality Testing Laboratory, and the plantations of the Stoneville Pedigreed Seed Company and the Delta and Pine Land Company.

New Madrid people on the tour included Arline Avery, Ott Burnett, R. P. Christeson, Gus Riceman, Fred Gesko, V. E. Hammock, E. V. Jewett, C. W. Jones, Harold Sloas, C. S. Smith, A. F. Tinsley, W. T. Watson and County Agent Herlinger.

REV. J T. SELF PERFORMS DOUBLE WEDDING

In a double wedding ceremony, performed at the home of the Rev. J. T. Self north of Sikeston Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, Miss Gwendolyn Freeman became the bride of Donald Louis Cloin and Miss Winifred Morgan became the bride of James Chester Elder, all of Malden. Both young couples will make their home at Malden, where the grooms are engaged in farming.

FARMERS OBTAIN HIGH WHEAT YIELDS

Louis Dohogne of Oran obtained 45 bushels of wheat per acre in one field just threshed. At Kelso, Andy Heisserer with a crop inciuding barley obtained 46 bushels. The Heisserer average yield was more than 20 bushels per acre.

MRS. W. C. REID IS BRIDGE LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Mrs. W. C. Reid was hostess at a bridge luncheon in her home on East Gladys last Friday, to the following guests, Mrs. Alma G. Copeland, Mrs. Jere Holly, Mrs. Jack Rushing, Mrs. Ralph Rushing, Mrs. Marcus Limbaugh and Mrs. Carl Hughes, all of Cooter, Mo., Miss Ethel Harty of Cape Girardeau and Mrs. David Lumsden of Sikeston.

Live sponges would not be recognized as such by the layman. Some of them resemble raw beefsteak.

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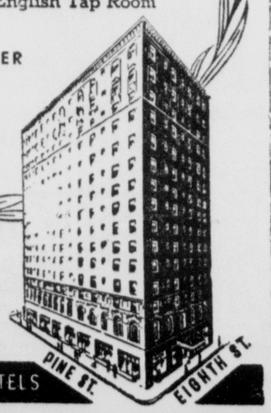

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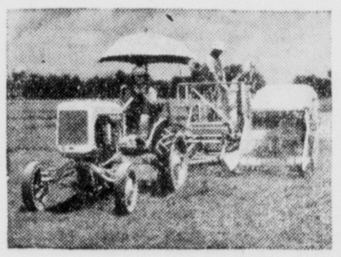

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MORLEY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kirkpatrick and daughter, Judy of Benton, visited here Sunday.

Misses Glenda Ruth May and Betty Watson spent the week end at the Less Watson home at East Prairie.

Mrs. Richard Whittaker of Fredericktown is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maude Daughtery.

Mrs. Robert Eachus of St. Genevieve is visiting at the W. M. McDonough home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cummins of Sikeston visited Mrs. Cynthia Cummins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Daughtery and children are visiting relatives at St. Louis.

Miss Ada Camille Adams of Cape visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Daughtery of Festus spent the week end with relatives here.

Misses Barbara Foster and Julia Strickland of Cape Girardeau visited Mr. and Mrs. John Foster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shores and children of Lansing, Mich., spent the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Shores.

Miss Vonda Brasher of Cape visited friends here Sunday.

Misses Helen Beardslee and Margaret Thacker and Will Daughtery and Alden Stallings visited at Fredericktown Saturday.

The Methodist Missionary Society met Thursday at the country home of Mrs. L. M. Taylor. Mrs. U. G. Ragains was leader of the program.

Mrs. Ella Stallings and daughters, Camille and Mrs. S. H. Dixon, spent Thursday and Friday at Rector, Ark. visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beardslee.

Mrs. Mayme Eskridge, Mrs. Maxine Thomas and Walter Meryet of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Linus Evans of Fredericktown, Mrs. Ella Evans and son, Don, of Sikeston visited Mrs. Elmyra Bynum Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Daughtery, Misses Camille Stallings, Norma and Juanita Bryant, Mildred Foster, Hazel Hitt, Nadean Vaughn, Mary Watson, Margaret Utnage and Meta Jean Mason left Saturday to spend a week at the Baptist Assembly at Van Buren.

ORAN NEWS

Billy Poe and George Patterson left Sunday afternoon for Arcadia where they will attend the young people's institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bohanan an son, Bobbie, of Sikeston and Mr. and Mrs. Jaul Lowes of Cape Girardeau were here Sunday.

Mrs. Dove Reynolds of St. Louis came last week for a visit at the J. F. Crader and Art Sturgeon homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Crader, Mrs. Rachel Crafton, Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Sturgeon spent Sunday in Bollinger county at the old Crafton home and with relatives they had not seen for a number of years.

Linda Lois, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crader, is spending this week in Sikeston.

Wm. Oliver and Mr. and Mrs. John Metz of Chaffee attended services Sunday night at the Baptist Church.

Miss Hanora McCarty came home last week from a sight seeing Eastern trip.

Cletus Crader went to St. Louis Friday to accompany his wife and baby home Sunday from a visit with her folks.

Mrs. Geo. Stehr entertained relatives from Cape Girardeau one day last week.

Miss Georgie Lou Douglas has returned to St. Louis after a couple of weeks at home.

Postmaster Otis Bryeans was a business visitor in St. Louis last week.

Asa Ventres from Marble Hill was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Baty, Sr., have gone to St. Louis for a two weeks visit with their daughter.

Members of the Graviett family were in Kentucky Friday for the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Pauline Reichert came home Sunday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Jess Reeves in Cape Girardeau.

CROSSROAD NEWS

Miss Willie Jean Cox spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Ray Owen, of Sikeston.

Jack Greasy was the guest of Eugene and Beverly Saulsberry Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Hunt of Cairo, Ill. is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. James L. Harmon and family.

Ray Holden and children, Bettye Jean and Shirley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cox Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Harmon and family were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harmon, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anderson of Bernie, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Larker and children left Friday to visit friends and relatives in Augusta, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Herby Johnson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Pearson.

Miss Dorothy Harmon is spending this week with her grandmother, Mrs. Pauline Moser, of Sikeston.

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How to be Your Own Decorator

Gay Summer Pottery and Linens

In speaking of summer decorating, I have been rather stressing the fun of outdoor living on porch and terrace and the use of inexpensive but gay pottery for a change from your usual china.

Just as you take down heavy curtains and replace them with sheer nets and muslins and take up wool rugs and put down an attractive fibre or just scatter rugs for the summer, it is a good plan to put away nice china, glass and linen, as well as silver trays, pitchers, dishes and possibly a tea and coffee set, and substitute yellow, blue, or figured pottery, red or blue glass, an ice tea set which may come in a convenient tray holder, and the effective tin trays which are to be found pretty generally in shops everywhere.

With this pottery and colored glass, colored table cloths, doilies, and napkins maybe used and come in all sorts of materials: paper, straw mats, washable pyroxylin, cellophane, cotton, linen—"novelties" they are often called but by any name they are beguiling and worthy of your attention. As in china and glass, there is something attractive to suit your pocketbook. What you want to consider in purchasing new things or in putting together what you have, is the right combinations. Have a definite color scheme. Lots of us have Early American furniture of maple, or other light wood, others have walnut or mahogany tables. For place mats remember that with the yellow tone in the maple, blues and greens, in light tones look well, but in yellow the tone must be strong for pleasant contrast, and that out and out red is better than pale pink. Pink and maple are not good together. The dark woods take any color becomingly—just as beige place mats go anywhere. If you use plain colored mats let your pottery be figured. The pretty foreign wares show figures, flowers and fruits as decorations and the plain mats act as a base to set them off. If, on the other hand, you have figured mats, use plain colored china or even cream or white china. Don't let your table be dizzy with pattern. Balance it carefully. Also be sure that the glass you choose fits the type of china or pottery in color and in form. And perhaps most important of all is to urge that, while you may be gay and frivolous, do not overcrowd. Set each place as it should be set and have an amusing or a lovely centerpiece (which often may be both), but organize your table so that you keep masses together. That is, let your centerpiece be a unit with the bare table between in and the ends of the table, and each place a unit. Don't have an odd lot of small candy dishes or too many salt and peppers. Table setting is an art really and requires a little thought and with taste many charming schemes may be avolved! With pottery plates there are pottery figures which at lunch may replace candlesticks on each side of a bowl of flowers or of fruit.

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This Week in Missouri History

Joseph Aloysius Corby

Joseph A. Corby, who as a civic and industrial leader did much to make St. Joseph the metropolis of the Platte Purchase during his lifetime, came to St. Joseph when he was only twenty years old and made it his home for sixty-two years.

He was born of Irish parentage in Cincinnati, Ohio, on July 25, 1847, ninety-three years ago this week. When he first came to St. Joseph, at the age of twenty, he was assistant city engineer. The next year he engaged in an abstract and real estate business.

In the decade of the 1870s Corby came into real prominence. He purchased the St. Joseph Gazette at public auction for $25,000 in 1873, but sold the paper two years later. In 1876 he built and began operating the Frederick Avenue street railway, the first street railway in the city, and within the next year he built the first telephone line there.

He built a telephone line from St. Joseph to Atchison, Kansas, in 1881, said to have been the first telephone line connecting two cities west of Buffalo, New York. The line between St. Louis and Kansas City was completed four years later. Corby also built the first telephone exchange in Atchison and assisted in organizing the Missouri and Kansas telephone company. During the same year, 1882, he built the Pacific Mutual telegraph line in St. Joseph which two years later extended to Omaha, Nebraska. This later became a part of the Postal Telegraph system.

At the same time that he was extending telephone and telegraph facilities into the area about St. Joseph, Corby built the first electric light plant there. He managed this concern for six years, then sold it in 1889. He also built the first electric railroad in Denver, Colorado, in 1891, but sold his interest there also. He become president of the Corby-Forsee building, the first fireproof office building in St. Joseph.

Although he was very young at the time of the Civil war, Corby ran away to join the Union army. He became captain of the "Saxton Rifles" of St. Joseph in 1881, and later lieutenant colonel of the fourth regiment of the Missouri national guard. With this body of men he was mustered into the United States army in 1898, but the regiment saw no active service as it did not leave the United States. It was demobilized the next February.

Corby led in many St. Joseph civic enterprises. He served for many years as president and moving spirit in the Buchanan county society for the relief and prevention of tuberculosis, and under his leadership this society became, in the words of a local physician, the "social conscience" of St. Joseph.

As the president of the city board of health he managed a campaign to improve the production and distrubition of milk in St. Joseph, and again he drew the praise of the medical profession, which called his work "revolutionary."

Corby was made a member of the State board of charities and corrections by Governor Gardner in 1919. He was a member of the Catholic church and of the Knights of Columbus, having served as a Master of the fourth degree in that order. Politically, he was a Democrat.

When the Buchanan county historical society was organized in 1920 Corby was elected its president. From December 15, 1920, until the end of his life, he was a member of the executive committee and a trustee of the State Historical Society of Missouri.

Corby was a nephew of John Corby, early St. Joseph philanthropist, businessman, banker, and railroad builder. Joseph A. Corby died on October 19, 1929, and was buried in Mount Olivet cemetery at St. Joseph, Missouri.

Safetygrams

BY FRED W. BRAUN © The Safety Man

Today I want to tell you about the black and white signs for highway markings.

Black and white signs are all oblong, placed either vertically or horizontally. Vertical oblongs are for regulations—speed limit, no U turn, keep in lane, drive to the right, no parking. Horizontal oblongs carry informative material—distances to various cities, name of towns and rivers, state lines, city limits, historical landmarks.

Besides these black and white arrows are used to indicate direction—one-way street.

In future issues I will discuss the use of these signs as well as their abuse.

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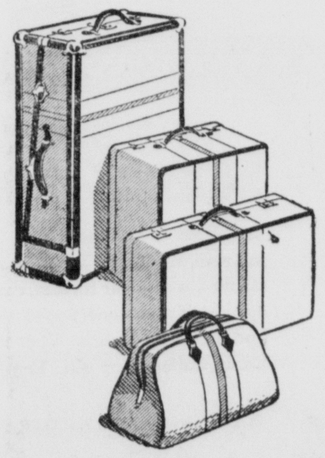

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UNUSUAL CHURCH FAMILY AT BLODGETT

At the evening worship last Sunday in Blodgett Church two sons and two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Graham made the Christian profession and united with the church. At the same time three younger daughters were christened. In the services were two older sons and an older daughter, already members of the church. Altogether, a family of twelve—father and mother and 10 children—was present. There are two daughters in St. Louis and they, too, are members of the Blodgett Methodist Church. There have been 14 children in this family, including two sets of twins. Mr. Graham is a prominent farmer of the Blodgett community. A revival campaign is in progress in the Blodgett Church. Rev. J. J. Willis is the pastor. Rev. J. C. Montgomery, pastor of the Charleston Methodist Church, is doing the preaching for the campaign. This is the second time Mr. Montgomery has been called to preach for a revival in the Blodgett Church.

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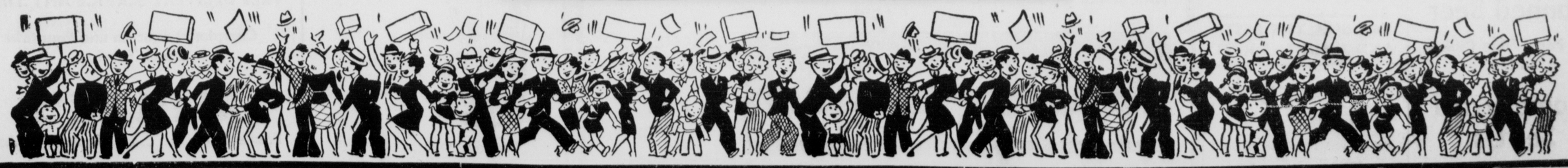
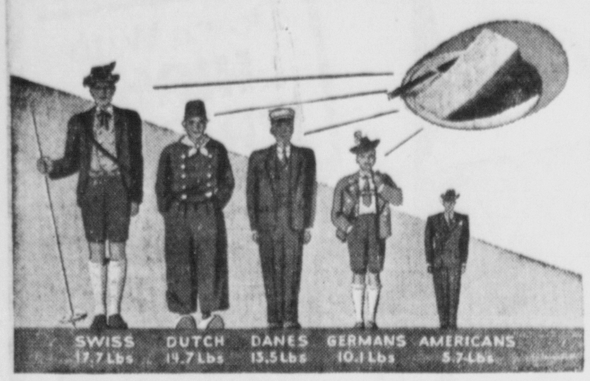


Americans Need to Eat More Cheese



Is cheese an item on your regular bill of fare? How much cheese do you eat in a year?

Probably the answer to those questions will depend on where you live, for one thing, and where you or your parents were born. Americans eat about 5.7 pounds yearly, which is a small amount when compared with the 17.7 pounds eaten yearly by the Swiss citizen, 14.7 pounds by the Hollander, and 13.5 pounds by the Dane. A study of a cross-section of families, 3,000 in number, in one large city of the United States revealed that only 37 per cent of the families surveyed were eating cheese at all.

Cheese gives good returns for your money, says the National Dairy Council, for the food value is very high and it is available in appetizing variety. It is really a concentrated form of milk, and provides additional ways to include the food essentials of milk in family meals. About five quarts of milk are required to make one pound of cheese.

The Arabs, at one time one of the strongest and noblest races of the world, subsisted largely on milk and cheese, with moderate amounts of meats, cereals and dates. Scientists can now explain that this diet produced a superior race because it contained generous amounts of protective foods, particularly cheese and milk.

Washington Comment

For the first time since William McKinley was chosen to head the ticket in 1900, Philadelphians have had a chance to see a Republican national convention on the home grounds. The excitement did not run so high as on some other occasions, but there was a hearty contest, which was brought to an end by the customary voluntary retirement of candidates, and substantial unanimity prevailed at the close.

Those who study political conventions as such, and without party prejudice, will incline to the view that the meeting followed the traditions, and indicated that a changing world is satisfied with standardized procedure in picking a Presidential candidate. It is unlikely that the coming Democratic convocation will present anything new for investigation, so far as convention structure and operation are concerned.

The welfare of the public at large has been promoted by the circumstance that the Republicans at no time were faced by the distressing condition known as a split, and there is comfort in the practical certainty that the Democrats will advance in a unitary and compact formation. No war was ever won by snipers. Consolidated armies are necessary, the individual soldier being left free to enlist as his judgment and conscience dictate.

In spite of such hard words as "machine" and "boss", political parties have a function and a utility of no mean proportions. Not only do they afford opportunity for effective team work, but they tend, as well, to discourage the unsound practice which consists in following men, rather than principles. Probably it was the personality of Theodore Roosevelt, more than the conviction that the Republican party was in a state of decay, that gave rise to the Bull Moose movement. Few who sat under the spell of Mr. Bryan's words will admit that anyone else could have drawn votes to the Free Silver ticket quite so effectively as the "Great Commoner".

Thus it comes about that garments of Democratic or of Republican cut are more than a mere prison garb, or the livery of a menial and undignified service. Giving due credit to the man who has the courage to stand alone, it is through concerted mass movements that most has been accomplished for the betterment of government and the promotion of the common good.

The political line up which will take place during the approaching months is wholesome. Speaking in a military sense, the country is said to be unprepared, and that fact is deplored generally. The same condition of affairs does not exist as to politics. Making proper allowance for Democratic claims that all is over but the shouting, and Republican allegations that the voters are simply waiting for an opportunity to cast the New Deal into the discard, each party retains the potency which accompanies organization. Neither will have the temerity to go too far, under the assumption that nothing can be done about it.

The phrase "What are you going to do about it?" was impressed on history by the late Bill Tweed, who in the days of our fathers or grandfathers ruled New York City with a heavy hand, and none too clean a hand at that. Those who believe in reincarnation may advance with propriety the theory that the spirit of Tweed found a new dwelling in the body of Hitler. For a long time, there seemed to be no way of stopping the small scale tyrant of the eighteen seventies. Right now, there appears to be no answer to the question "So what?" which comes from beyond the seas. William M. Tweed closed his eyes forever in a Manhattan jail. The future may have a similar reply ready for the Fuehrer.

To Make a Long Tale Short

. . . a traveling salesman dropped into one of the local restaurants yesterday and asked the waitress whether they served lobsters. "Yes," she replied, "We're not particular—we serve anyone here, so please be seated." Like the waitress, we have served scores of people in this community with our used cars, and words of praise of our business fairness are music to our ears.

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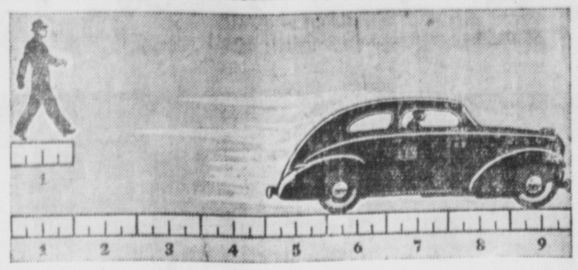
At this writing, Congress has just voted itself a ten-day recess from torrid Washington after cleaning up a number of controversial matters, not the least among them being final approval of Mr. Roosevelt's choice for the portfolios of War and Navy. The President, by the way, took a leaf out of Woodrow Wilson's note-book in selecting a newspaperman for his Secretary of the Navy; the World War Executive, you may recall, appointed Joseph Daniels, owner of the Raleigh News and Observer, to run the Navy, with Franklin D. Roosevelt as his first Assistant; now Mr. Roosevelt, with a second World War raging, chooses that stalwart editor, Col. Frank Knox, to help him put across the stupendous task of building and directing a two-ocean Navy. Regarding the new Secretary of War, we should remember that he is really "General" and not "Colonel" Stimson, as most people seem to think. The records show that he was promoted to Brigadier General in the Reserve Corps on June 16, 1922. He actually served in that capacity at maneuvers at Pine Camp, New York in June 1926 when he commanded the 152d Field Artillery Brigade, retiring later in 1931, on reaching the statutory age limit of 64. When the World War closed, as "Colonel" Stimson, he was commander of the 31st Field Artillery Regiment of the Regular Army . . . . .

Signs of the times around Washington: U. S. jobs have reached an all-time high, expanding under the impetus of the defense program. As a result, Washington is again about to face a housing shortage, comparable to some extent, to conditions during the World War. At any rate, apartment vacancies, which customarily increase during the summer months, are decreasing rapidly with addition of 1,260 employes to Federal agencies in a single month, and the expectation that there will soon be 30,000 new job holders. We already have 130-937 employes in the executive branch staff in Washington, with a local monthly payroll of $23,-298,161. It is estimated unofficially that employment since May has raised the total Federal force over the million mark, which would be around 100,000 above the World War peak . . . . Uncle Sam's total number of employes, in case you are interested, is placed at 977,-880 and his total monthly payroll at the neat little sum of $125,-907,134, but just wait until the defense program gets really under way and watch those figures skyrocket! . . . . . The ladies are not to be outdone in the rush for national defense, either. Not content with providing "Bundles for Britain", "Friends for France," Red Cross aid for various other stricken European nations, and keeping the home fires burning along the Democratic and Republican fronts the gentle, tireless creatures hereabouts are planning an army of a million women to be called "The Green Guard Volunteer Women of America." It appears to be a sort of ladies sharpshooters' brigade, growing out of the month-old Woman's National Rifle and Preparedness Association, and is pledged to aid Uncle Sam if he needs them. As might be expected, the uniform was selected before the organization even thought of getting under way. It's a snappy green number with a Robin Hood feather in its cap, said to be "unusually becoming." (Privately, we predict that the G. G. V. W. A. will be joined only by those ladies who look well in green!) . .

Almost on the heels of the fireworks attendant upon Mexico's selection of a new President (an event pretty nearly fatal to a number of visiting Washington students who had the bad luck to get in range of the ballots, or bullets, which in this case were synonomous) our State Department was presented with a check for $1,000,000 by the Mexican Ambassador, Dr. Castillo Najera, as an installment in payment of claims of American citizens whose Mexican lands have been expropriated since August 20, 1927. Payments thus far made are being held by the American Government because of failure of a joint commission to adjudicate claims . . . . .

If you're planning a vacation hop to Bermuda, or expecting a visit from Aunt Minnie in Canada, don't forget about the new regulations requiring passports. Ditto for the Dominican Republic, or if you want to take a peek at "Wally" and the Duke at Nassau! . . . .

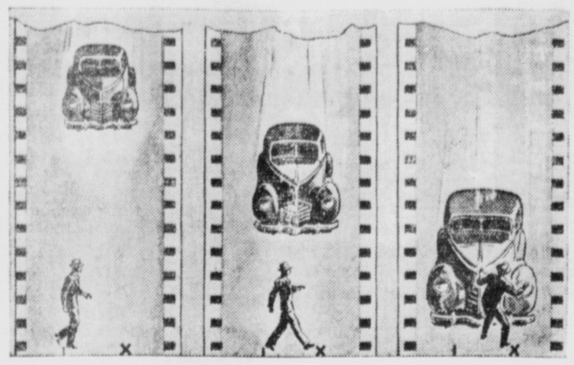
Remember This Ratio—1 to 9



While a pedestrian takes one step and advances one yard, an automobile driver at a mere 30 miles an hour advances nine yards

This is simple arithmetic, says "Smash Hits of the Year," latest booklet published by The Travelers in its safety crusade, but few persons stop to realize it. It is especially true that adults who have never learned to drive have little or no conception of the vast differences between walking speeds and vehicle speeds.

The simulated movie strip below shows what is likely to happen when a walker underestimates the speed of an approaching car.



ATTACK ON ENGLAND WILL BEGIN FRIDAY, ROME SAYS

New York, July 16.—The British radio tonight in a broadcast picked up by the National Broadcasting Co. quoted the Rome radio as saying that "the attack on England will start this Friday night."

BETTY ANDERSON HAS BUNKING PARTY

Betty Anderson was hostess at a bunking party one night last week, with the following friends as guests. Barbara and Mary Ellen Sensenbaugh, Sarah Sue Keller, Pat Ellise and Betty Hirschberg.

Missouri Melange

Cats adopt birds, a squirrel hitch-hikes on the back of a dog, a sheep goes hunting with dogs, and now a cow adopts a pig, the runt of a litter of eight recently farrowed on the Ed Bozarth farm near Paris, Mo. Learning the technique of standing up at mealtime, the porker now outweighs the rest of the litter.

One of the largest real estate deals ever closed in Lincoln county, states the Silex Index, was consummated recently when R. A. Black, of St. Louis, purchased the 420 acre farm belonging to the R. E. Black estate for $70,000.

Prospects now point to a bumper Elberta peach crop in southern Missouri. Picking will start about August 1 with a strong market predicted. The extreme cold weather of last winter with its resultant destruction of trees, is expected to hold peach prices firm to higher over preceding seasons.

Do you have any tapirs, capybaras, or patagonian cavies you want to trade? The Kansas City zoo is looking for such animals and offer in trade two 20-month-old tiger cubs, and two 2-year old leopards.

Fishermen will approve of this—twelve new rearing pools are being constructed at Roaring River State Park near Cassville.

The American Scale Co. factory in Pleasant Hill is now running at production peak with the recent addition of more employees bringing the total to 62 in the machine shop and foundry. The company has a payroll of more than $250 daily.

'Coon hunters of St. Charles county were looking forward to good hunting in the future when they purchased and released twenty-two raccoons recently in the hills of that county. Additional animals will be freed from time to time as more funds are raised.

Newburg, Mo., nestling in the Ozark hills, is experiencing the joys of a modern water system, recently completed at a cost of $47,000. Water comes from a deep well.

Fifty-five men are now employed in the construction of the new $500,000 unit to be added to the Brookfield power plant of the Missouri Power and Light Co.

Keeping abreast of war demands, car manufacturers in the West Indies are now making bullet proof baby buggies.

Curiosity killed the cat, and electricity proved fatal to a bird the other day near Mound City, when pecking on FHA lines caused a short cricuit, electrocution and blown out fuses. Bright ends of copper ground wires proved the "piece de resistance."

Due to increased postal receipts, the Warrenton postoffice has been advinced to second class, according to Postmaster, William R. Ruche.

Nine jobs will be a vailable in the immediate future as mosquito counters along the Mississippi river following a recent announcement by the Iowa state health department.

August 1 has been set aside by the postal department as "Rural Mail Box Improvement Week," and a call has gone out to all rural boxholders to improve and modernize their boxes. We wonder how many people remember the old fashioned mail boxes of but a few years ago—the kind that were mounted on a wagon wheel at the cross roads, the wheel holding as many as ten or fifteen. In those days, farmers rode horseback to the mail box, and discussed matters of the day with other mail-getters.

The reindeer is the chief source of the milk supply of the far north.

SPAIN IN DIPLOMATIC BREAK WITH CHILE

Madrid, July 16.—Spain today broke off diplomatic relations with Chile.

The government of Generalissimo Francisco Franco had long been at odds with that of Chile because several loyalists had been given refuge in the Chilean embassy here after the Spanish civil war.

Chilean authorities repeatedly had refused demands that the loyalists be surrendered.

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Buffet Menu to Insure Success of Bride's First Party

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The most important occasion in a bride's life after the return from her honeymoon is that first entertainment for her friends in her new home. It is wise to start off conservatively, as the success of any party depends in large measure on the smooth and seemingly effortless way in which it is run. The seated buffet supper for eight is the answer to a young bride's prayer, combining the warm hospitality of a dinner with the informality of an evening get-together. For this type of entertainment the linen, silverware, china and food are set on a large table from which the guests serve themselves and then set down at small folding tables, each for four.

A famous hostess known for her parties suggests the following buffet supper menu as one which the young newlywed can prepare with enough ease to receive her guests without the flurry which usually accompanies a first party. She adds that she has found it a tried and true success with all types of guests.

Relishes: Carrot slivers, Celery
Buttered sliced White, Rye and Whole Wheat Breads.
Dried Beef, Crisp Bacon, Cream Cheese, Peanut Butter for Sandwich Spreads.
Spaghetti and Tomato Sauce in Casserole.
Pepsi Vegetable Salad.
Iced Beverage.

Here's the recipe for the novel vegetable mold salad:

3 tablespoons gelatin dissolved in ½ cup cold water.
½ cup boiling water
2 twelve-ounce bottles cola beverage.
2 tablespoons lime juice.
1 cup diced celery.
1 cup shredded pineapple.
1½ cups shredded cabbage.
½ cup shredded carrots.

Dissolve gelatin in cold water, add boiling water, lime and cola beverage. Mix celery, pineapple, cabbage and carrots. Add to thickened gelatin. Pour into mold. Chill and serve on crisp lettuce leaves. Garnish with sliced olives and radishes.

An experimental highway recently built was painted a dull orange color. It is said to have reduced road glare about 40 per cent.

A New Idea, Serve Liver Sausage Hot

Long favored for tasty sandwiches and as an asset to any cold meat platter, liver sausage makes a new bid for glory when served as a hot dish.

Inez S. Wilson, home economist, suggests liver sausage cut into one-half inch slices and browned in butter as the base of many tempting combinations. It's good prepared in this way and served with crisp bacon, stuffed celery and potato chips. Slices of tomato panbroiled with the liver sausage make another appropriate accompaniment.

Hot Liver Sausage Sandwiches

A luncheon or supper tempter you'll want to serve soon is liver sausage and cheese sandwiches—served hot. To make them place a slice of cheese over a slice of bread and on top of that a one-half inch slice of liver sausage. Brush the sausage with melted butter and for good measure lay a strip of cheese dipped in cream over the top. Put the sandwich under the broiler until the cheese is toasted. Served with a crisp salad, these sandwiches will find a permanent place in your list of foods "just awfully good and real easy to make."

Liver Sausage Valuable Food

Here's an idea the children will love. Lay the slices of browned liver sausage on toasted buns with slices of raw onion or a generous covering of chopped pickels. Liver you know, is good for everyone, young and old alike. Liver sausage gives us the same nutrients as liver in its original form: iron, copper, phosphorus, high quality protein and essential vitamins.

Bacon in Waffles Improves Flavor

Did you ever hear anyone say she hoped she'd always like ice cream because it was so good to eat?

Well, that's probably the way many of us feel about bacon and waffles. Bacon is so tasty and so very good with waffles that we'll want to enjoy the combination always.

Inez S. Wilson, home economist, proffers a subtle way of incorporating the flavor in "baconized waffles." Subtle is the word for when you eat the waffle you can't find the bacon but you keep wondering what it is that makes the waffle so good.

Bacon Disappears

Here's the trick. Cut a slice of bacon into four parts and put a section of each quarter of the hot waffle iron. Pour the waffle batter in and bake the waffle. When you serve it you'll find the bacon as a whole has disappeared, but the flavor lingers on giving you another tempting version of a favcrite combination.

Bacon can also be diced and added directly to the batter.

A Manchurian breed of hens lays quarter-pound eggs.

Giant Mild Pepper All America Award

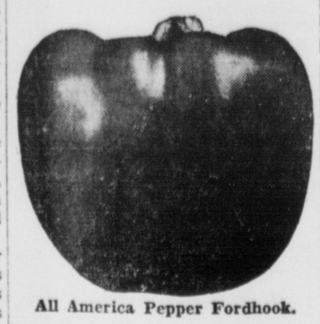
Peppers are easily grown in the garden. They are so tender that seeds are usually started indoors and plants set out after danger of frost is over. Then they grow rapidly and produce constantly until the plants are killed in the fall by frost.

Among Americans the favorite of the many types which are available, has come to be a very large, mild fruit, with thick walls, which is green when it first forms, and then turns to a bright red.

In the All America trials for 1940 honorable mention was awarded to a new variety of this type, christened Fordhook. It is very early, bearing fruits in clusters of five to seven and is recommended as an excellent garden variety.

Peppers in this country do not play the part in the menu that they play farther south, where the weather is hot, and the food hotter. But the mild type is becoming increasingly popular, both in the raw state in salads, and in various cooked forms.

It is now time to set the pepper plants raised from early started seed into their permanent positions in the garden. A dozen well-grown plants will yield a good supply of green peppers in late summer and fall. They are easily grown, requiring only a generous supply of moisture for their best development. The pepper is one plant that it is wise to sprinkle. Usually the watering is more efficiently done by taking the nozzle



All America Pepper Fordhook.

off the hose and letting it gently trickle over the garden and soak into the earth.

Peppers relish and good sprinkling of their foliage and seem to bear more freely for it.

Set them 18 inches apart and give good cultivation. They like a rich heavy soil but thrive in lighter soils if given a copious water supply.

The hot peppers are valuable for relishes and mixed pickles but they should not be grown in the same row with sweet peppers in order to avoid the mistake of getting a hot one mixed with the sweet ones in salads. In the large fruited types better production is insured by pinching out the first or "king" blossom. Like the cucumber, the plant often stops to develop its first born at the expense of the rest of the progeny.

Keeping Foods Better In Your Refrigerator

Thanks to the modern household refrigerator, the problem of storing foods safely, particularly in hot summer weather, is reduced to the simple matter of learning to make good use of the food-preservation facilities your refrigerator offers you. The preservation of food is dependent on two things—cold and humidity. For this reason the new automatic refrigerators provide a variety of storage compartments so that foods may be kept in a way best suited to their requirements.

THS FREEZING UNIT

Besides its job of freezing ice cubes and desesrts, the freezing unit provides a place for keeping quick-frozen foods for a few days before being used. Commercial ice creams can also be kept in the freezing unit.

MEAT STORAGE

The meat storage compartment has a very low temperature—just above freezing—and also high humidity. Sometimes this compartment is called a "meat keeper." It makes it possible to purchase meat for several days' supply. This section has other uses, too, such as for storing a large supply of ice cubes, the quick chilling of deserts in sherbet or parfait glasses, or the rapid cooling of bottled beverages.

GENERAL FOOD SPACE

This section of the refrigerator is the main storage space for miscellaneous foods — butter, milk, eggs, cooked meats, left-overs, chilled desserts, stewed fruits, cheese, casserole dishes, etc. Most of the foods stored in this section should be kept covered to prevent drying out, particularly if they are to be kept in the refrigerator for any length of time. Delicate foods, such as milk, butter and cream, are also kept covered to prevent them from taking on a foreign flavor. Strong-smelling foods, such as sauerkraut, are also kept covered to keep them from imparting a foreign flavor to other foods. If your refrigerator has a high-humidity compartment, foods stored in it do need to be kept covered except, of course, in the case of foods having a strong odor.

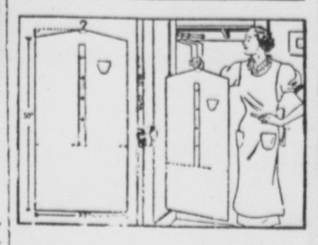
COVERING FOODS

For convenience in covering foods, use bowl covers which come in every size, and flexible bags for storing bulky vegetables and such things as melons. There are bags for storing bread, too, and if you've never tried storing bread in your refrigerator, try it and see how fresh it keeps. Covered refrigerator dishes are another convenience. Glass ones keep the food visible as a reminder to use left-overs. Dishes which stack one upon the other are space savers. The covering of foods serves the dual purpose of keeping them from drying out and preventing odors from being transferred from one food to another, or leaving a strong odor in the refrigerator itself.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE STORAGE

In the drawers where fresh vegetables are stored in the new automatic refrigerators, high humidity and satisfactorily low temperatures keep the contents fresh and crisp, and freshen vegetables which have become wilted through handling or exposure. These drawers are roomy and easy to use. The vegetables should be washed and excess moisture drained from them before putting them into the vegetable drawer.

SAVING MONEY *With Cotton Bags*



An orderly, clean and modern clothes closet is appreciated by everyone. When you open your closet door do you see your best party frocks all jammed in with everyday dresses? A set of garment covers does away with this and helps to keep your clothes in condition. Cotton flour bags afford an excellent material for making these covers because they are closely woven and will keep out the dust, are washable, and obtainable at no cost. Three bags will make a full-size garment case. Cut the three pieces of cloth to a width of 27 inches. One, to be the front of the bag, is slashed up middle to within 6 inches of the top. One slashed edge is faced back and the other has an extending facing to form a placket to which snap fasteners are sewn at 3 inch intervals. The top edges of the front and back are sloped down three inches to conform to the shape of the coat hanger and are stitched, leaving an inch opening in the middle for the hook.

Other Cotton Bag Sewing ideas are illustrated in a free booklet. Send to National Cotton Council, Box 18, Memphis, or Textile Bags, 100 N. LaSalle St., Chicago.

Light Summer Cakes

When warm days come the prospect of eating a rich heavy slice of cake loses its appeal even to the possessors of a highly developed sweet tooth. So plan to serve cakes that are not so rich in texture or content. Cakes of the sunshine or angel food variety are delicious with fresh berries or ice cream and general favorites as well.

SUNSHINE CAKE

1 cup cake flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
6 eggs
1 cop lne granulated sogar
¼ cup strained orange juice
1 teaspoon grated orange rind

Light the oven and adjust heat to 275. Sift the flour, then remeasure and sift four times with the baking powder and salt. Beat yolks of eggs till foamy and thick. This requires about 10 minutes of beating by hand.

Add sugar gradually and continue beating until stiff. Add orange rind, then juice and flour, mixing alternately, stirring in thoroughly. Carefully fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites, last using a wire whip and rotating the bowl with one hand while folding in with the other. Turn into an unoiled turk's-head pan, being careful not to stir batter as it is being transferred.

Bake for first 20 minutes at 275 degrees, then increase the temperature to 300 degrees and bake for 50 minutes longer. Invert to cool in the pan, like angel food, and remove when cool.

ICING FOR SUNSHINE CAKE

Beat ½ cup granulated sugar, ¼ cup powdered sugar, 1 cup shredded pineapple and 1 egg white together until the icing is very stiff, holding its shape.

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At home with meals, at the soda fountain, at picnics, beverages made with milk have unusual appeal. Easily assimilated food value or "pick-up" plus a delightful thirst-quenching quality put these drinks in front for warm weather.

Orange Quench—
¾ cup milk
1 teaspoon sugar
¼ cup orange juice
Combine ingredients, beat until thoroughly blended. Serve chilled. Makes 1 serving.

Variation: Add ¼ teaspoon cinnamon, for Spiced Orange Milk.

Ginger Flip—
½ cup gingerale
½ cup milk
1 serving vanilla ice cream
Pour gingerale and milk into a tall glass. Add a serving of vanilla ice cream. Serve immediately. Makes 1 large serving. Root beer may be substituted for gingerale.

Fresh Banana Frosted—
1 fully ripe banana
1 scoop vanilla ice ceram
6 ounces cold milk

Peel banana and break it into pieces directly into shaker cup of mixer or mixing bowl. Add other ingredients and beat until creamy. Makes 1 serving.

Note: When an electric drink mixer is used which does not cut up and crush fruit as it mixes, the banana should be mashed before being placed into mixer cup. Place mashed banana with other ingredients into mixer cup and whip until creamy.

Winner of 150 Jelly Prizes Gives Champion Recipes

End-to-end, Mrs. F. B. Tilliu's 150 prize ribbons for homemade jellies would reach about 75 feet —practically fifteen times the champion's own height!

More than 20 of those ribbons—11 firsts among them—were received at state and county fairs last year. Don't think for a minute, however, that this prize-winner does nothing but enter jellies at the fairs. Mr. Tillou and nine delightful Tillou children, ranging in age from six to eighteen, require plenty of sweet spreads for their own use. Last year mother made them more than 600 glasses of jellies and jams, and canned quarts and quarts of extra juice for winter jelly-making. Most of the fruit was picked at its ripest, most delicious moment, in the garden of the Tillou's big farm house near Oxford. N. J.

Mrs. Tillou, a charming person to know, readily parted with the secret of her jelly-making success. It's all in the recipes, she says—for she uses none but the short-boil kind. There's uot a moment to waste in her busy days, so she can't afford failures. Naturally, then, she follows the new-fashioned, foolproof directions. Their 30-second boil for jelly, just slightly more for jam, means half-again more glasses. And the extra-delicious flavor of the finished spreads is exactly like the fresh, ripe fruit itself.

No wonder Mrs. Tillou calls jelly-making a hobby—rather than a chore. Once you've tried this prize-winning recipe of hers for raspberry-current jelly, you'll feel just like a champion yourself!

Mrs. F. B. Tillou, Jr., of Oxford, New Jersey, is champion jellymaker of the state. No wonder the neighbors go straight to her when they need recipes for sweet spreads!

Mrs. Tillou's
Prize Raspberry-Current Jelly

(Makes about 11 medium glasses)
4½ cups juice
7 cups sugar
½ bottle fruit pectin

To prepare juice, crush thoroughly about 1½ pounds fully ripe currants. Add ¼ cup water.

Bring to a boil and simmer, covered, for 10 minutes. Crush thoroughly 1½ quarts fully ripe raspberries. Combine fruits. Place in jelly cloth or bag and squeeze out juice.

Measure sugar and juice into large saucepan and mix.

Bring to a boil over hottest fire and at once add bottled fruit pectin, stirring constantly. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard ¼ minute.

Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once.

Mrs. Tillou's
Prize Orange Jelly

(Makes about 7 medium glasses)
2½ cups juice
4½ cups sugar
½ bottle fruit pectin

To prepare juice, squeeze and strain juice from 6 medium oranges and 4 medium lemons.

Measure sugar and juice into large saucepan and mix.

Bring to a boil over hottest fire and at once add bottled fruit pectin, stirring constantly. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard ½ minute.

Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once.

Steak a Good Choice on Menu to Please Men

American men like "good, thick steaks."

And to a man, a steak isn't a steak unless it's "good and thick."

Inez S. Willson, home economist, points out that a thick steak will serve as many people as the same amount of meat in smaller steaks. Since the meat will be more flavorful and juicy, everyone, especially Dad, will be perfectly satisfied.

STEAKS OF MANY SIZES

If the family is large, perhaps one of the sirloin steaks from the loin end will be the best choice. T-Bone and porterhouse from the shortloin, also will serve the average family generously. Club steaks are smaller, but each one, if it is cut thick, will serve two.

MODERN BROILING EASY

Broiling according to the modern method is so easy that the young daughter of the family can be left in charge.

For a juicy, uniformly broiled steak, deliciously browned on the surface and delicately pink within, a moderate temperature should be used.

HOW TO BROIL A STEAK

Place the steak on the broiler rack and adjust the rack so the top surface of the steak is three inches from the source of heat. This will give a broiling temperature of about 350°F., which is a moderate temperature. If the construction of your broiler won't permit the three-inch space recommended, regulate the temperature control accordingly.

TURN STEAK BUT ONCE

Turn the steak when the upper side is nicely browned. Salt it just before turning and turn it carefully with a fork inserted in the fat. When the other side is browned the steak will be done. For a medium done steak about an inch and a half thick, allow thirty-five minutes for broiling. For a steak two inches thick allow forty-five minutes. For rare steaks in either case deduct five minutes from the time periods just stated.

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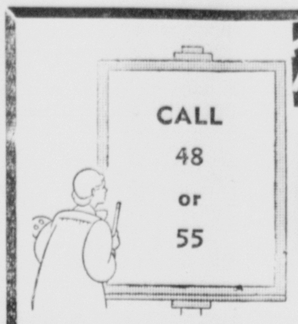

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The P. C. Editor Says:

In Walkers Grocery and Market advertisement in another section of The Standard there appears "Kerr Lids, 3 packages 10c" when it should read "3 packages for 25c." Please govern purchases accordingly.

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The Standard office was honored Thursday morning with a visit from C. P. Goetzman, city editor of the Kaukauna Times, of Kaukauna, Wis., and Harold H. Frank, District Governor of the Lions International, of Kaukauna, Wis., who were on their way to Havana, Cuba, to attend the Lions International in that city. It was our pleasure to show them through our shop and guided them through our art gallery.

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We are still 100 per cent for the hospital bond issue. Are you? We are still 100 per cent for the airport are you? We are still 100 per cent for the shoe factory. Are you? We are still 100 per cent for the Scott County Milling Co.. Are you? We are still 100 per cent for Sikeston and all the people therein and thereabouts. Are you? And we are still 100 per cent for The Sikeston Standard and hope you are too.

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The cold blooded murder of Dr. U. P. Haw at Benton Tuesday morning took from this county one of the most beloved, and polished gentlemen that ever lived. He was a friend of all, did more charity work than any doctor in that community and will be sadly missed. The night was not too dark, nor the weather too bad, that he did not respond to the call of the sick whether they were able to pay or not. Such a man and such a doctor was Doctor Haw.

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The time is growing short for the State and County candidates to see the dear people and they are certainly shaking a leg. Some mighty good men are presenting their claims to the voters and then there are some not so good. Each voter can decide which is the better man and which the worst man and when he enters the polls can govern his lead pencil accordingly. For ourself we will probably vote for some who might be classed good, bad and indifferent.

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It appears that Mr. Willkie is a funny boy, a smart Alec or wisecracker, as he answered the questions put to him at a press meeting, and laughed at his own comeback answers. He is not very serious about being President of the United States, or perhaps he knows he hasn't a chance in the world of stepping into Mr. Roosevelt's shoes and takes his nomination as a joke.

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The Hon. John D. Taylor, of Charitan County and candidate for Attorney-General of Missouri on the Democratic ticket, was a caller at The Standard Office Thursday forenoon. The Honorable John is one of the keenest lawyers in the State and we predict that the man who beats him in the August primary will be the next Democratic Attorney-General of Missouri. He attended the funeral of Dr. Haw at Benton in the afternoon of Thursday.

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How they dine leisurely in Lower California—and what they eat. An intriguing article with a new set of recipes and other interesting items in the housewife's Food Almanack. Don't miss this popular feature in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next week's Sunday Chicago Herald-American.

BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD TO GIVE FISH FRY

The Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church will have a fish fry on the church lawn Monday evening, July 22, at 7 o'clock. A program of entertainment has been arranged, and the Rev. D. K. Foster, pastor of the Caruthersville Baptist Church, will be the speaker for the evening. All members are urged to be present.

HIKER TO STAY HITCHED FOR WHILE

Kirksville, Mo., July 17.—When his thumb failed to obtain rides for him, a hitch-hiker here threw himself across the pavement of Highway 63 and played "possum" in an attempt to force motorists to stop.

One motorist did stop. It was a member of the Sheriff's force here and the hich-hiker got a ride to ploice court and then a sentence of 60 days at the county quarry on a charge of vagrancy.

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Big Bomber Calls at Airport

It got here at last!

After several pre-view audiences had gathered at the airport all day Sunday and Tuesday evening for a glimpse of a greater military aviation. the giant army bombing plane promised Sikeston sat lightly down at the airport at 10:30 Wednesday morning.

The shining, aluminum-covered craft, carrying six officers, circled the town several times before landing and in no time to speak of had attracted a crowd of 500 to the field.

Headed by Lieut. Col. W. H. Reid, the party formed an inspection group which visited the buildings of the Missouri Aeronautical Institute, Inc.

With Col. Reid were the pilot, Capt. Carl Storrie, adjutant of the air corps training center at Randolph Field, San Antonio; Master Sgt. J. S. Tudor, Staff Sgt. A. E. Orcutt, Sgt. C. W. Doyell, and Corp. O. M. Royal, the photographer, who took pictures of the buildings and inspection party, along with President Oliver Parks of the Institute, Manager A. B. Woodbury, J. L. Matthews and C. L. Malone, who escorted the party.

As is customary on such occasions, Col. Reid had no official comment, but appeared pleased with the progress of construction, Mr. Woodbury said.

Photographs were taken while the plane circled over the field before landing.

The plane has been on an inspection tour, visiting Washington, D. C., Albany, N. Y., Jackson, Miss. (where Mr. Parks is building another school) and Montgomery, Ala. The plane is from Randolph Field.

Word that the plane would fly in at 6:30 Tuesday evening brought a big throng to the field, but only the birds flew over. Announcement that it would arrive Sunday kept a constant flow of expectant visitors at the airport. Originally it was due Thursday of last week.

Unexpected business delayed the first two trips. Tuesday evening, coming from Montgomery, the plane encountered a storm near the Tennessee line and was forced to return to the starting point because of the wide area of disturbance, Sgt. Tudor said.

The plane is a large, two-motored type, known as a "medium" bomber, since the army also has huge four-motored "flying fortresses." The type here has a glass enclosed machine-gunner's cockpit in front and slightly lower than the pilot's turret. Another machine-gun position is located at the rear, just in front of the plane's tail. The "belly" of the fuselage can be opened to permit placing of bombs on racks.

The bomber took off during the noon hour en route to San Antonio.

Rites Here for Mrs. Lem Hulsey

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church here Monday afternoon for Mrs. Gertrude Hulsey, 46, who died Saturday night at Poplar Bluff of a streptococcic infection. She was ill a week.

Mrs. Hulsey, a native of Missouri, was born in 1894. She married Lem Hulsey at Whitewater, Mo., and they moved to this section many years ago, living at Matthews, Mo., and then moving to Sikeston about five years ago. Three months ago Mr. and Mrs. Hulsey moved with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Moll, to Poplar Bluff.

Surviving are two other daughters, Mrs. J. N. Walker, Jr., of Sikeston and Mrs. Charles Long, Bloomfield.

Rev. Chester Pillow, Baptist pastor at Poplar Bluff, and Rev. E. W. Milner of this city conducted rites. Interment with Albritton service was in Memorial Park.

JAPAN'S CASUALTIES TOTAL 1,644,000, CHINESE REPORT

Hongkong, July 17. — Chinese headquarters said today that three years of warfare had cost Japan 1,644,988 men killed, wounded or dead as a result of disease.

Tokyo recently admitted that 85,800 Japanese had been killed in the war with China and said China's losses totaled 3,000,000 men, of whom more than half were said to have been killed in battle.

Rita Heisserer And Ben Bowman Marry Wednesday

The marriage of Miss Rita Heisserer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Heisserer of Oran, and Ben Bowman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Bowman of this city, was solemnized at the Catholic rectory in New Madrid at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, by Rev. Walter Riske. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Baker, Jr., attended the couple.

The bride chose a white silk jersey frock for her wedding costume, with which she wore a black hat trimmed in white gardenias and veil, and other accessories in white. Her corsage was white roses. Mrs. Baker wore pink silk jersey, with a white hat and white accessories. Her flowers were blue carnations.

Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Conran, in New Madrid. After a honeymoon spent in the south, Mr. and Mrs. Bowman will return to Sikeston to spend several weeks with the former's parents before going to Columbia, Mo., where he will enter Missouri University.

The bride, a sister of LeRoy Heisserer of Sikeston, is a graduate of Wililam Woods College at Fulton, Mo. She taught school near Oran, last winter. The bridegroom was educated in the Sikeston schools and at Westminster College at Fulton, Mo.

Auxiliary Picks Delegates to District Meet

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. S. L. Schillig with Mrs. W. C. Holly assistant hostess.

Reports were given by the committee chairman and Mrs. Roy Wagner gave an account of her trip to Fulton, where she took five young junior members to attend the Girls' State meeting. Mrs. Schigil, Junior Chairman, reported that the Juniors are planning a rummage sale and asked the members to save their rummage for them.

Delegates and alternates to the district meeting to be held at Kennett, August 4, were elected as follows: Mrs. Tanner Dye, Mrs. Roy Wagner, Mrs. Rabb, Mrs. Burl Heath, and Mrs. Ben Matthews, delegates, Mrs. C. L. Malone, Mrs. L. J. Langley, Mrs. G. W. Presnell, Mrs. W. C. Holly, and Mrs. . L. SSchillig, alternates. Mrs. Kathryn Johnson. district president, will preside at the meeting.

The next regular meeting of the Auxiliary will be held July 30, instead of the regular meeting day, August 6, which is election day.

All-Stars Meet Two Foes This Evening

Sikeston All-Stars will be aiming to square themselves with two teams which have put the bee on them in past games, this Thursday evening at the softball field. The Dexter Timber Toppers, victor over Sikeston earlier this season, will be on target, while the Cairo, Ill., team, which won last year, will be the other. The first game will be at 7:30 p. m. The Sikeston Jaycees are sponsoring them.

REUNION HELD AT COCKRELL HOME

A reunion of Mrs. Walter Cockrell and sisters was held at Mrs. Cockrell's home on Lake Street Sunday, with 54 relatives and friends present. They were:

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barrett and sons, Mrs. Cora Laird of Metropolis, Ill., Raymond Fisher and children of Rosebud, Ill., Mrs. Charlie Turner, daughter, Miss Johnsy, Mr. and Mrs. Alan King and son, Mrs. Turner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Westmorland, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cockrell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greenlee and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Cockrell, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Boardman and children, Tommy and Rita Laye, Mr. and Mrs. George Evans and children, George, Jr., Delmar Jo, Lynn Clair, and Lana Darlene, W. R. Griffin, Mrs. Willard Terrell and sons, Jimmie, Billy, Lee Austin, and Gene, Mrs. Gertrude Colley and sons, Leonard and Stanley.

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Seek Permission to Bring Girl Refugee, 12, From London To Sikeston to Escape War

Over in London, England, daily expecting the full fury of Hitler's bombs, is a family whose 12-year-old daughter already may be on her way to Sikeston—taking part in the British government's plan to evacuate children to Canada and the United States.

A censored letter received Thursday morning by John O'Hara, 506 Center, from Mrs. John Bann O'Hara of London, states her young daughter Shelia will come to America if its possible, to spend the duration of the war with Sikeston relatives.

The letter was in reply to a suggestion by Mr. O'Hara that the girl be sent to his home to escape the horrors of the war certain to descend upon England.

ACQUAINTED BY COINCIDENCE

Mr. O'Hara does not know exactly his relationship with the London O'Haras. His grandfather Oliver O'Hara, ran away from his home in Ireland and went to Canada, bringing with him a valuable sword with the family coat-of-arms. About four years ago Mr. O'Hara purchased a ticket in the Irish Sweepstakes. Through it he was given a person of the same name in Ireland to correspond with, and Mr. O'Hara attempted to establish some connection with relatives through his grandfather.

John Bann O'Hara about a year later visited this part of Ireland, learned of the Sikeston O'Haras and the communications with the London family began. Through the sword and coat-of-arms, and through the grandmother's name, McGee, they established relationship.

BORN IN CHICAGO

John Bann O'Hara was born in Chicago, returned to his parents' Ireland at the age of six and later went to London to live. He is a gunner in the British navy, and two sons, John, Jr., and Brian, are also in the navy. The father served in the World War, was forced to swim at sea for two hours when his ship was lost, and was retired on a pension when drafted back into service for this war. He and John, Jr., are gunners for merchant marine ships, and Brian is attending a naval school.

Besides the one who intends to come here, there are three older daughters, Mary, a Red Cross nurse; Eileen, who is studying telegraphy and Patricia, who is in civil service.

The dreaded uncertainty of war is seen in the letter from London, written by Mrs. O'Hara, which follows. For two months no word has come from the son John, who has been at sea. The letter says:

LETTER FROM LONDON

"How pleased we all felt when receiving your very nice letter yesterday, and what a relief to know that Sheila if all goes well, please God, at this end, will be coming out to you. It is she that we have been worrying about. She has been away from us since last September, but we were seriously thinking of having her home, as

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Search for Oil Has Scientific Basis

Activity near New Madrid toward drilling for oil recalls the comments of geologists from time to time about the possibilities of finding the "black gold" in this vicinity.

From rock formations, geologists cannot positively say where oil will be found. But they can definitely say where it cannot be found.

H. S. McQueen, asistant state geologist at Rolla, said here two years ago the rock strata that lies beneath Sikeston and New Madrid is the type associated with oil. This layer rises above the surrounding delta in this vicinity at Morley, where it forms what is known as the Benton Hills.

To the west, where the Ozarks crop out beginning at Poplar Bluff this strata does not exist, he said.

Beneath Sikeston, the rock begins at 400 feet. At Caruthersville, it is 700 feet.

The exact places to drill—or the more feasible spots—are over "domes," or elevations in the rock strata. These domes are determined by surface soundings. They may be caused by oil and they may not, but oil is always found beneath a dome.

When the countless billions of minute sea life were trapped beneath rock layers in a pre-historic era, there to decay and form oil, the pressure of these pockets pushed the rock up. The set connection is also shown by the salt water that always accompanies oil.

It is shown that the sea covered a large part of the Middle West at one time and that the Mississippi for a time emptied into the "Gulf of Mexico" where the hills begin north of here. Hence, the likelihood of oil is quite evident.

Baptist Women to Attend Assembly

The following members of the Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church expect to attend the Baptist Assembly on Baptist Hill at Van Buren this week end: Mrs. Milem Limbaugh, sponsor, Misses Muriel and Pearl Edwards, Miss Ruth Moore, Miss Irene Altom, Miss Cristine Cauthorne, Miss Helen Johnson, Miss Lillian Belle Taylor, Miss Magdalene Moser and Miss Vernetta Smith.

CHARLES BLANTON III CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Charles Blanton III invited a group of friends to help celebrate his sxith birthday, Monday afternoon at his home on North Ranney. Included in the guests were John Harper, Charles Matthews, Jimmy and Bobby Keasler, Sammy Bowman, Glenn Barton, Barbara Boyce, Ann Hollenbeck, Bobby Scott, Gene Hirschberg, Buddy Forrester, Eddie McAmis, Paul Slinkard Jr., Jimmy Osborn, Peggy Knupp, Mary Ann Walker, Jane Bowman, Freddy Taylor, Jimmy Bowles, Sue Sikes, Damon Dale, John and Tommy Kendig, Harry White, Allen and Mary Eugenia Blanton.

TO RESUME REGULAR PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES

Regular services will be held at the Presbyterian Church Sunday, July 21. The pastor, Rev. D. D. McAdams and Mrs. McAdams, have returned from Keytesville, Mo., where they had spent two weeks.

Cities Suffer Sudden Shortage Of Newspapers

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat had its troubles Thursday morning.

Quite a few people in Sikeston failed to get a copy of the paper, and upon inquiring as to the reason, learned that not enough had been delivered here on the early morning southbound train.

Later, calls began coming into St. Louis from Sikeston and other cities along the Frisco line even down to Memphis.

"More papers!"

The cause of the shortage was then discovered, A new mail clerk was placed on route and he tossed off only a part supply at most of the cities.

He must have wound up at Memphis with a half a carload of Globe-Democrats.

LON SWANNER SUFFERS HEART ATTACK

Lon Swanner, water commissioner, who suffered a severe heart attack last Friday morning, and later developed malaria, is much improved and able to be out of bed for several hours each day.

MALONE AIDS IN STATE C. OF C. PROGRAM

C. L. Malone of Sikeston is a member of the board of directors of the Missouri State Chamber of Commerce which is devoting a special program to bring more industries and developments to the State.

C. E. Felker, Jr., to Be Married to Lexington Girl

The marriage Miss Geraldine Dierking, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dierking of Lexington, Mo., and Clarence E. Felker, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Felker of Sikeston, will take place Sunday afternoon, July 21, at 4:30 o'clock at the home of the bride. Mr. Felker will be attended by his father as best man.

Miss Dierking, who has visited in the Felker home here, was graduated from Central College last June. She is a member of Phi Kappa Delta sorority.

Mr. Felker is a graduate of the Sikeston High School and completed his college course at Central College in June. He is manager of the Bijou Confectionery on North New Madrid Street. Following a wedding trip to Kansas City, the couple will arrive in Sikeston the last of next week.

Yellow Cab Co. Said Planning to Operate Here

Reports that the Yellow Cab Co. was intending to establish an agency here and take over one or more of the lines now operating in the city circulated this week.

However, owners of local cab lines said they had not been approached about selling out.

The plan, according to the report, would be for the Yellow Cab Co. to establish a downtown office and have relay stations with taxis at each in all four wards for faster service.

The coming of the flying school, with the large number of cadets who will demand taxi service, was cited as the reason for the taxi-line rumor, but it could not be confirmed.

Four men from the Yellow Cab Co. of Cape Girardeau inquired at the City Hall Wednesday baout the cost of vehicle licenses and city ordinances governing the operation of taxis.

Parks Pleased With Hospital

Oliver Parks of the flying school visited the J. A. Sutterfield residence Tuesday and declared he was well-pleased with the structure as a hospital. He said it would be a much better hospital than he had expected the city to furnish when he brought the air school here.

Efforts are still being made to secure an order of Catholic Sisters to operate the institution.

SALCEDO COUPLE WED BY REV. SELF

Mrs. Jewell Jane Dockins and William E. Parker of the Salcedo community were married Monday afternoon, 4 o'clock, by the Rev. J. T. Self at his home north of Sikeston. Accompanying them was the bride's sister, Miss Virginia Proffer. Mr. and Mrs. Parker will reside on their farm near Salcedo.

Democrats Draft Roosevelt

President Roosevelt was drafted by the Democratic National Convention to be a candidate for a third term as president of the United States, Wednesday evening.

Receiving 946 votes as the first roll call of delegates, progressed, the President was given the delegates of Postmaster General James Farley and Vice President John Garner, both of whom had been nominated and were known to oppose the third term. When the first roll call was finally completed, Roosevelt had received a unanimous vote.

It remained for the President Thursday to accept the draft. If he should win again, he will be the first president in history to be elected three times.

Selection of a vice presidential candidate also remains.

Benton Physician Slain by Man Over Long-Time Grudge

What Sheriff John Hobbs describes as a grudge of many years had its tragic climax in the fatal shooting of Dr. Uriel P. Haw, 65 years old, Scott County Health Officer, Tuesday morning in a Benton drug store.

A jury called by Coroner John F. Nunnelee, Jr., following an inquest late Tuesday morning returned a verdict that Dr. Haw "came to his death from the wound of a bullet fired from a pistol held by Alvie Steck and committed with felonious intent."

Steck, 50, who like Dr. Haw was a resident of Benton, was hurried away by state troopers to an unnamed jail for safe-keeping after he had surrendered to Sheriff Hobbs.

On the finding of the inquest, Prosecutor David Blanton filed a charge of first degree murder against Steck.

LONG-TIME GRUDGE

Sheriff Hobbs and other residents of Benton generally agreed Steck held a grudge of 20 years or more against Dr. Haw because the physician once certified the man to the State Hospital at Farmington, where Steck remained for a period.

Dr. Haw had entered the City Drug Store in Benton shortly before 8 o'clock and went behind a partition to fill a prescription. Lyman Foulk, owner of the store, came in and went to the rear to take over the prescription-filling.

Edgar Boals, 13-year-old clerk, related to officers he was the only person in the main part of the store when Steck entered.

Dr. Haw, whistling, came from behind the partition just as the other man was coming through the door. Boals was sweeping behind a counter at the side.

MEET IN STORE

When Steck saw the physician, he exclaimed:

"So you're whistling like a mocking bird," swearing at the same time, the youth related.

"Yes, what of it?" the doctor replied.

"I'll show you what," the other man shouted.

Dr. Haw, sensing trouble, reached over the counter and grabbed the end of Boal's broom. The boy did not want to see any fight in the store, so he held to it, and it finally fell to the floor.

FIRES AT SIX FEET

Boals said Steck pulled a pistol from his trousers pocket and fired upward once from a low angle, as the two faced each other at a distance of not over six feet.

The bullet struck the physician in the right side of the neck and ranged upward, evidently striking his spinal column.

Dr. Haw collapsed to the floor and died in a few seconds.

Steck calmly walked out of the store and apparently put the pistol, a .32 Owl Head, in his car nearby, because the pistol was later taken from the car.

Then he returned to the store and mentioned "wrongs" of 35 years which he attributed to Dr. Haw.

"I told him I'd do it," he declared. "I've been to Sikeston and Jefferson City a lot of times trying to get them (law officers) to take care of him."

Steck then left the store and walked south toward the courthouse.

SURRENDERS TO SHERIFF

Sheriff Hobbs, who had heard of the shooting, met Steck and took him into custody. The prisoner did not resist but merely argued his motive to the sheriff.

Because of Dr. Haw's standing in the community, ill-feeling ran high, and it was decided to remove Steck from the Scott County jail temporarily. He was thought taken to the Poplar Bluff jail.

Mr. Foulk said Steck habitually came to the drug store "looking for Dr. Haw."

OTHER THREATS

Residents of Benton said Steck had threatened to kill several persons in the town over a period of years. Not much attention was paid to the threats, however, because everybody believed the man harmless, although slightly unbalanced mentally.

The coroners's jury, which deliberated an hour an a half at the courthouse, consisted of Harry Welman, W. C. Porter, M. N. Frobase, Alden Pinney, N. L. Cannon, and Roy L. Kneezle.

Steck, a brother of County Treasurer Emil Steck, was not married and lived with his mother at Benton.

The prisoner has had no regular occupation, although he worked on the WPA at times.

News of the death stunned the entire Benton community. as well as people living in many towns in this section, for Dr. Haw was widely known and highly respected.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at the Methodist Church at Benton. Rev. E. H. Orear, superintendent of the Poplar Bluff district of the Methodist Church and former Sikeston pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. Thomas Bess of the Benton Church. Burial was in the family plot of the Benton cemetery.

TRUE "COUNTRY DOCTOR"

Dr. Haw typified the fast-passing "country doctor" who was a custodian of health and general troubles of an entire community. He had practiced medicine at Benton 42 years, serving patients in early years by buggy and even by horseback.

As County Health Officer, a post he held for many years, he treated patients at the County Farm with the same zest and attention that he gave to other clients.

Dr. Haw's willingness to serve all who sought him, and to aid them in other ways besides medical attention, did not permit him to accumulate a large mass of wealth, but his wealth was measured highly in the esteem of the community.

It is said he attended at more than 3000 births.

BORN AT CHARLESTON

Dr. Haw was born at Charleston on December 28, 1872, the son of Dr. Joseph L. Haw and Mary Ann Vernon Haw, and at the age of nine they moved to Farmington.

He was educated at the public schools of Charleston and Farmington, at Mooney's School, Franklin, Tenn., and at Central College, Fayette. In 1898 he was graduated in medicine at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.

Practicing first at Commerce, he moved to Benton after a while and remained there.

During the World War he was the medical member of the Scott County draft board, then became a captain in the Medical Corps in the 156th Depot Brigade, being stationed at Camp Jackson at Columbia, S. C., and at Camp Sevier, Greenville, S. C.

SURVIVORS

Surviving are six children, Miss Uriel Haw, teacher in Sikeston High School and now attending the summer session of Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., Mrs. Ella Peal of Malden, Mrs. Martha Crites of St. Louis, Joe and Tom Haw of Bernie, and Dick Haw of Farmington. He also reared a foster-son, Robert Norrid. He also leaves two brothers, Attorney Moore Haw of Charleston and Dr. Marvin Haw of Springfield, Mo., and six sisters, Mrs. Murray Tanner of Webster Groves, Mrs. Julia Moore and Mrs. Laura Westcoat, of Cape Girardeau, and Mrs. Ella Taylor, Mrs. Emma Pell and Miss Anna Haw, of Farmington.

The doctor's wife died two years ago. A son, Dr. Hunter Haw, died last year in Texas, and a brother, Rev. Linn Haw, passed away in Cape Girardeau two months ago.

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LOUIS N. WOLF PRAISED IN APPEALS RACE

A race attracting widespread interest throughout the Southern half of Missouri is that in which Louis N. Wolf is a Democratic candidate for the Springfield Court of Appeals for the unexpired term of the late Judge Perry Allen.

The interesting question is whether a personal campaign is more effective than a mail campaign.

Mr. Wolf, who has a reputation for being one of the ablest lawyers in Missouri, is making an active personal campaign throughout the forty-four counties in his judicial district. He has spent his entire time visiting in each of these counties and becoming acquainted with the voters ,and he is being enthusiastically received.

We like a candidate who is willing to make a personal campaign and meet the public. We like Mr. Wolf also because he is modest, but energetic, and willing to work for the office he seeks. A candidate who will not work in the primary, will not support the ticket in November. Our endorsement therefore goes to Mr. Wolf. He deserves to win.—The Southwestern, (Joplin).

(Political Advertisement)

Employes of the Lair Furniture Store enjoyed a picnic supper and weiner roast Wednesday evening, in the hills north of Cape Girardeau. Those attending were, F. D. Lair, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Chittenden, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McGill, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Hess Perrigan and daughter Patsy, Mrs. Maxine Fant and Mrs. Carrie Nell Bray.

CAROL PATSY SIMS ENTERTAINS WITH TEA

Carol Patsy Sims entertained the following girls at a tea party Thursday afternoon in honor of Sue Richmond of Advance, Mo., Janet Sue Stewart, Ann Hollenbeck, Jeanne Walker, Barbara Ann Lennox, Janet Stevens, Peggy Earl Knupp.

GIVES BUNKING PARTY SARAH SUE KELLER

Sarah Sue Keller entertained a group of friends at a bunking party in her home on Park Tuesday night. They were Betty Hirschberg, Betty Anderson, Margaret Ann Hatfield, Pat Ellise, Barbara and Mary Ellen Sensenbaugh and Martha Stevens.

METHODIST MISSION

Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock at the Methodist Mission in Smith Addition every Sunday. The public cordially invited. If you are not attending Sunday School come and be with us.

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Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Morning Worship at 10:45 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Peril of Easy Street."

B. T. U. at 6:45 p. m.

Evening Worship at 7:45 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Failure of Judas."

Weekly teachers' and officers' meeting each Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock; mid-week prayer service at 7:30 o'clock; choir practice at 8:30 o'clock.

Rev. E. W. Milner, pastor.

MODERN MARTHA CLASS

The Modern Martha Class of the Christian Church will have an old fashioned garden party and ice cream social at the home of Mrs. C. R. Auten, 1023 N. Ranney. Thursday evening, July 25, at 8 o'clock.

AIRPORT FOREMAN HIT BY FLYING BUCKET

William C. Holley, foreman on the airport construction, suffered a two-inch laceration in the head Tuesday morning when a flying bucket caught by a high wind struck him. He was treated by Dr. T. C. McClure and was able to return to work.

MR. AND MRS. DANIEL GIVEN SHOWER

The C. Y. O. of St. Henry's Catholic Church at Charleston gave a wedding shower Tuesday night for Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Daniel, Jr., at Fassett's East Gate in Charleston. Forty guests enjoyed dancing and refreshments.

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The north country, including the Algonquin Park, the Muskoka District, long famous as a resort region, thru which winds a network of streams, dotted by frequent lakes, lies beyond Toronto.

Provincial Quebec might easily have been created to please the visitor—something new at each turn of the road, each nook and cranny a new delight. Who among us can resist the lure of the mighty St. Lawrence and the rugged shoreline of Gaspo—the stately Laurentians, the historical importance of picturesque St. Maurice Valley—the potpourri of colorful and romantic attractions of the city of Quebec?

Newfoundland, Labrador and other ports of call are included in a cruise thru the Gulf of St. Lawrence which suggests unexcelled diversion after long weeks of office and business routine.

The lure of the St. Lawrence rivals that of England's Thames and Germany's Rhine, yet our own native river has characteristics not found on the Continent, being the Artery, as it were, of eastern Canada, growing in importance and dominance from an unknown stream to a great seaway throbbing with commerce from the seven seas.

A vacation in Canada will provide all the necessary excitement and romance of a trip abroad without all the time spent enroute and the numerous other arrangements to be made. All you need do is phone the nearest railroad ticket office and tell the passenger agent you are interested in a trip to Canada; he'll be happy to help you complete your plans, even to the making of reservations in the sleeping car at the hotels where you'll stay. He also has an excellent supply of folders available that are yours for the asking.

DUKE AND WALLY TO FLY TO U. S.

London, July 16.—A Reuters, British news agency, dispatch from Lisbon tonight said that the Duke and Duchess of Windsor had booked passage by Clipper to New York and are expected to fly from New York to the Bahamas where the Duke will be Governor General.

Sikeston Standard $2 per year.

MARTHA MAY LATHOM IS PARTY HOSTESS

Miss Martha Mae Lathom was hostess at a party Wednesday night at her home on Daniel, at which a scavengar hunt was the feature of the entertainment. Miss Ruth Evelyn Reed of St. Louis was an out-of-town guest.

WALLPAPER ON FIRE

Firemen were called near noon Wednesday to Brown's Boarding House, colored dwelling on East Gladys, where wallpaper had caught fire from a stove. Damage was slight.

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RESULTS from WANT ADS

FOR RENT—Modern apartment. Adults only. Call 838. (tf-88)

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FOR SALE—Good 4-wheel trailer, on Chevrolet chassis, 6.00 by 16 tires (2 new and the others good), non-weaving tongue and hitch, body of tongue groove siding 6 by 12 feet and 4 feet high. Phone 242. (tf-88)

FOR SALE—2 airplane-type ceiling fans. Brook's Mercantile Corp. 113 W. Malone. (1t-88p)

FOR SALE—Good used upright piano, reasonable. Inquire 302 Ruth St., or phone 410. (1t-88)

WOOD FOR SALE—Split Cooking Stove Wood, $1.35 per rank at yard, $1.50 per rank delivered in Sikeston. In 3 ranks or more $1.50 per rank within 5 miles of Sikeston. Sailors Wood Yard, in Smith Addition East of Henington Paint Shop. (tf-88F-

WANTED—Downstairs unfurnished rooms, not more than 6 blocks from Coca-Cola Plant. Phone 481. (1t-88p)

FOR RENT—3-room unfurnished apartment, built-in cabinets, hot water, private bath. 113 Cresap, Phone 643. tf-88

FOR RENT—Cabin back of 216 N. Ranney. (ft-87)

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FOR SALE—Large dining table and eight chairs, solid oak for sale at a price. C. W. Hollister, upstairs over Sutton's Red & White Store. (tf-84-

FOR RENT — Modern furnished apt. Less Gross, 304 Southwest. Phone 691. (tf-81)

FOR SALE—100-foot front by 75 ft. deep, facing Lescher Drive. Schorle-Wood Realty Co. (tf-81)

FOR SALE—Cottage, 314 Ruth St. Modern except heat. Small down payment, remainder like rent. Call 553 or see Eli Williams. tf-78F

FOR SALE—Fine home, corner North Park and College. See Finney, Home Oil Co., Charleston. (tf-72)

FOR SALE—Brick home with hardwood floors, tile bath, plenty of shade, close to schools. 411 Kendall. Phone 703. (tf-83)

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Total .....10c and 36c

FRIDAY, JULY 19—

SPORTING BLOOD — Robert YOUNG, Maureen O'SULLIVAN, Lewis STONE, William Gargan, Lewis Stone

NEWS AND COMEDY

—Matinee—
Admissions .....10c and .196
State Tax 004
Total .....10c and 20c
—Night—
Admissions .....10c and .264
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MacDONALD • EDDY in "NEW MOON" — MARY BOLAND • GEORGE ZUCCO — H. B. WARNER • GRANT MITCHELL

NEWS AND COMEDY

—Sunday Matinee and Night—
Admissions .....10c and .314
State Tax 006
Federal Tax 04
Total .....10c and 36c
—Monday Matinee—
Admissions .....10c and .196
State Tax 004
Monday Night same as Sunday Night

TUESDAY, JULY 23—

"Making Eyes At Me"
With Tom Brown
COMEDY AND SHORT
BARGAIN NIGHT

—Matinee and Night—
Admissions .....10c and .196
State Tax 004
Total .....10c and 20c

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, JULY 24-25—

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Wednesday and Thursday Nights
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Federal Tax 04
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Oilers Beat Scott County Mill, 9-6

By taking Scott County 9-6, the Cotton Oil Mill took a single hold on the American League lead Wednesday night at the softball field.

The Flour Grinders started out strong, with four runs in the first, then sagged while the Oilers built up their advantage.

Hits were nearly equal, the Oilers standing one ahead of their opponents with seven, and each team committed eight errors. However, Jimmy Law struck out nine men, the kayoes coming at times when Scott County was threatening.

Vanover, who went in for the Flour Mill in the second, socked a round trip blow in the fifth in an effort to aid his cause. Tandy turned out a triple, double and single in four times at bat.

Scott County	AB	R	H	E
J. Simmons, lf.	3	1	0	0
M. Marshall, 3b.	3	1	0	2
Skelton, ss.	3	0	0	0
R. Williams, lf.	3	1	1	0
H. Aldridge, sc.	2	1	1	1
V. Sherry, c.	3	1	1	2
W. Ables, 2b.	3	0	1	2
Vanover, cf., p.	3	1	1	0
Lockhart, 1b.	3	0	1	0
Lufcy, p. cf.	3	0	0	1
	29	6	6	8

Cotton Oil	AB	R	H	E
Dace, 3b.	3	2	0	1
Tandy, 2b.	4	2	3	2
Lacy, rf.	3	0	.	0
Letner, cf.	2	0	0	4
C. Binnington, cf.	2	0	0	0
Swacker, 1b.	2	1	0	0
Mathis, 1b.	2	0	0	0
Davis, lf.	1	0	0	0
Bruce, lf.	1	0	1	1
Wagner, sc.	3	1	1	0
Garrison, ss.	2	1	1	0
Keasler, c.	3	0	0	0
Law, p.	3	2	0	0
	f1	9	7	8

Scott County	400	110	0—6
Cotton Oil	132	201	x—9

Summary: Two-base hits, Tandy, R. Williams, Lacy, Wagner; three-base hits, Garrison, Tandy; home run, Vanover; bases on balls, off Lufcy 2, off Vanover 2, off Law 1; struck out, by Lufcy 1, by Vanover 3, by Law 9; losing pitcher, Vanover; umpires, Deal Gilbert, W. Lee; scorer, Lea Smith.

Chicks Defeat Cape Girardeau Main St., 22-7

Rebounding from a setback suffered the day before at East St. Louis, the Sikeston Chicks fell on the Cape Girardeau Main Street girls for a 22-7 win here Monday night.

Helen Estes confined the Cape batting efforts to seven hits, while the Chicks poured out 16. Imogene Lefler hit two home runs, the second with two base runners on. Rehkoff of Cape gained a triple.

East St. Louis turned back the Sikestonians, 7-2, there Sunday, although Sikeston's five hits were close behind the Illinois girls' eight. The Chicks saved a shutout in the final inning when Imogene Lefler walked, sister Wilda Lefler hit a single and Kempfe's blow into right field scored them.

Score by innings, Monday game:

Cape Girardeau	000	004	3— 7
Sikeston	436	243	x—22

Batteries: Moore, Craft and Swaim; Estes and Barnhill.

Score by innings, Sunday game:

Sikeston	000	000	2—2
East St. Louis	020	041	x—7

Batteries: Estes and Sledge; Johannisohn and Vitale.

GLADE VIEW NEWS

Rev. Hilary Patterson was a visitor in the Dave Klingle home Wednesday.

Fred Bauer and Dave Klingle had business in Benton Monday.

There will be a revival meeting starting July 29th at Silent Hill Church. Rev. Lem Council of Sikeston will conduct the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Haire and Mrs. Annie Riley were guests of Mrs. Mason in Vanduser Monday.

Oda Masters of Sikeston will fill his regular appointment at Silent Hill Church Sunday.

Mrs. Fred C. Bauer and nephew, Roger Neal Shelby, were guests of Mrs. D. S. Murchinson in Charleston last Friday.

Crops in this vicinity are looking fairly good. Many are through laying by. Those who have not, soon will be finished and all hope for an abundant crop.

Mrs. T. J. Evans visited her daughter, Mrs. Hershel Asa, near Diehlstadt last week end.

Mrs. Monroe Stevens of Bloomfield was a visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Evans, the past week.

Bill, George and Maxine Dillender, Betty and Norman Yount, R. C. and Estelle Goetz, Dolph Hill, Charles Sturgeon and Lloyd Williams were guests of Miss Earline Riley at a fare-well party in honor of her brother, Roy Riley, who was leaving for New Madrid to enter the Conservation Camp there.

Guard Wins Close One From Reid

Company K and Reid Roofing made it an interesting fray Wednesday evening, each jumping to four runs in single spurts, the Guards then winning with another score in the seventh, 5-4.

Otherwise, with only seven hits apiece, the teams came to bat 11 times between them without productive results due to the fielding exhibited when needed.

W. Norman highlighted a five-hit salve with a man on base with a home run in the fourth, registering the fourth score of the inning for Reid. Scherer had led off with a single, Foster was next with a double, and Page laid out a safety to land on deck and await Norman's big smash.

Blanked until the fifth, both in hits and runs, the Guard connected three times and employed a walk and error for four runs that tied it. J. Gilbert walked, Clark singled, H. Gilbert got safe on and error, and Nickens and J. Miller followed with two-baggers. This was all until the seventh, when three blows good to first base, by G. Norman, Nickens and Miller, brought the run that counted most.

Company K	AB	R	H	E
J. Miller, sc.	4	0	2	0
Martin ,cf.	4	0	0	0
V. Sherry, 2b.	3	0	0	0
R. Sherry, p.	3	0	0	0
J. Gilbert, c.	2	1	1	0
Clark, ss.	3	1	1	0
H. Gilbert, lf.	3	1	0	0
G. Norman, 1b.	3	1	1	0
Nickens, rf.	3	1	2	0
Lufcy, 3b.	3	0	0	1
	31	5	7	1

Reid Roofing	AB	R	H	E
Foster, cf.	3	1	1	0
M. Page, 2b.	2	1	1	1
W. Norman, 1b.	3	1	2	1
Young, c.	3	0	1	0
C. Miller, lf.	2	0	0	0
Clippard, 3b.	3	0	0	0
Boyd, ss.	3	0	0	1
Campbell, rf.	3	0	1	1
Schwab, cf.	3	0	0	0
Scherer, p.	3	1	1	0
	28	4	7	4

Company K	000	400	1—5
Reid Roofing	004	000	0—4

Summary: Two-base hits, Nickens, J. Miller, Foster; home-run, W. Norman; double play, J. Miller to G. Norman; bases on balls, off Sherry 2, off Scherer 1; struck out, by Sherry 3, by Scherer 2; umpires, Deal, Gilbert, Caverno; scorer, Leo Smith.

About 365,000 grains of pollen are produced by a single dandelion blossom.

In England, the voting age for women is 30 years.

MOREHOUSE NEWS

ROSS FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. J. L. Place returned home Wednesday after visiting her children in St. Louis, her brother in Rantoul, Ill., and attending the eleventh family reunion and the 60th wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross of Paulding, Ohio. A basket dinner was held on the lawn. Mr. Ross is 80 and Mrs. Ross is 77.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cavins and sons, Freddie and Albert, of Granite City, Ill., spent Sunday and Monday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cavins.

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Grant of St. Louis spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spence, Jr.

Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Sarno left on their vacation Saturday, July 13. Dr. Sarno has enrolled for a post graduate course in surgery and pediatrics in the Presbyterian Hospital in New York. After finishing the course he will visit relatives and see the various places of interest. The return trip is planned by way of Canada. They will be accompanied by Dr. Sarno's brother, Louis.

Phillip Banks visited friends here Monday. Mr. Banks formerly operated a clothing store here, several years ago.

Harley Mathis of Flint, Mich., visited Mr. and Mrs. Dorcey Brown and family over the week end.

Mrs. John Porter of Parma is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mrs. Harry Shaplin and children of St. Louis are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McFarling.

Mrs. Byron Patterson and Mrs. Grunda Hutson transacted business in Cape Girardeau Monday evening.

J. W. Daughtery of Gideon was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. Birdie Gray is visiting relatives at Parma this week.

Noble Gaston left Tuesday for Detroit, Mich., where he will seek employment.

Mrs. Wm. Dillon had as her guest Friday, Mrs. Jessie Wilkins of New Madrid.

George Marlove, who has been visiting relatives in Hopkinsville, Ky., has returned home.

Jack Nolan of Portageville and Raymond Harris of New Madrid were Morehouse business visitors Wednesday.

Sikeston Standard $2 per year.

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she was more near the coast, but the idea was to get her away from London, so we sent for her yesterday, and she is now with us. The only thing that seems to trouble her is the voyage. She is a very bad traveler.

"Brian will be staying with his school, so wherever they go he will go. His is a naval school. You see, aunt and uncle, I want to tell you such a lot, oh such a lot, but I just must not, but I am going to tell you that everybody here has their chin up and through experience of other countries we know exactly what to do and how to do it. We are all fully prepared, and by the help of God we may win the final battle and bring peace to the world.

"I have already sent your letter on to John. Won't he be pleased. Do you know, we were all saying how nice if only Sheila could go out to you, so that she may not experience the horrors of warfare. So John said I'll write and see and explain. God has answered our prayers, so perhaps you may receive a letter from John.

"Sorry to say we haven't heard from young John for two months now. They say no news is good news. I hope so.

"Now, uncle, first thing in the morning I'll go and get a form which has to be signed by both parents and fill in all that's required and we'll let you know as soon as we fix up Sheila at this end, and when she will be starting —I do hope very soon, as each day counts. Mary, Eileen and Paddy are all keeping fit; likewise myself. We all send you our best wishes and do hope your country keeps out of the war. I do sincerely thank you all for your kindness. I'm afraid to tell you any news as I want you to get this letter, but believe me we are doing fine. Once more thanking you all. With much love from us all to you all."

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Green Bell Pepper, nice size, 5 for 10c, doz. 20c
White GRAPES, Calif. Seedless, Lb. . 15c
Sunkist LEMONS, 300-size, Doz. . . . 19c
Michigan CELERY, bunch 5c
FRYERS, White Rock, 2 to 3 lb. Ave., Lb. 23c
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News of the Town

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter.—Phone 761W

Mrs. Melvin Dace and son who are visiting relatives in Sullivan, Mo., are expected to return home Monday.

Miss Mary Sidwell, who has attended the summer term of College at Ames, Ia., will come to Sikeston this week end for the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm and two children, Mrs. Louie Largent and children spent Sunday in Gideon, with relatives. Mrs. Largent was accompanied by her brother, Richard Mumma of Gideon, who had visited her for several weeks.

Mrs. W. O. Scott and Mrs. Jewell Gentles were in Cape Girardeau last Saturday.

Shad Old and Emanuel Schorle are employed with the Highway Department for the rest of the summer. They started work Monday.

The Dexter Swimming Pool is being cleaned and refilled Thursday, July 18. Free lighted picnic grounds.

Old Fashioned Garden Party and ice cream social at the home of Mrs. C. R. Auten, 1023 Ranney, Thursday, July 25, sponsored by the Modern Martha Class of the Christian Church.

Miss Mary Sikes will entertain with a swim party this Friday morning in compliment to her house guest, Miss Priscilla Leatherwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rayburn and daughter, Joan, will leave Saturday to spend their vacation with relatives in Salem, Ill., Beecher City, Ill., Hannibal, Mo., and St. Louis. They will be joined in Salem by their daughter, Miss Colleen, who is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rayburn.

Mrs. Paul E. Brown was hostess to her bridge club Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Leslie and son, Mrs. Harold Pitman and son and Frances Ann Newsum, spent Thursday with relativevs in Essex.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sharp spent Thursday at Paragould, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sexton drove to Camp Lewallen Sunday to accompany home their son, Jimmie, who had spent the week there in Scout Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Mow, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Mow, Jr., and their small son will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Marable near Charleston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Sidwell attended a reunion of the latter's family at Smithland, Ky., Sunday. They were accompanied there by Mrs. Sidwell's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mitchell of Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rayburn and daughter, Joan, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rister, enjoyed a picnic supper at Ellis Park near Cape Girardeau Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Rohald, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tucker and daughter of Poplar Bluff, spent last Sunday at Reelfoot Lake, Tenn.

The Jolly Twelve Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Glenn Matthews on Southwest Street. The next meting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Slinkard with Mrs. Arthur Reese, hostess.

Hiram Williams went to Cape Girardeau Monday to visit his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Hayden for a week.

Mrs. John T. Sikes will be hostess to bridge parties Friday and Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Huters and children have returned after a vacation trip to Miami, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hatfield and daughter, Margaret Ann, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Matthews III, children, Dot and Charles, and Mrs. Walter Clymer, were in St. Louis Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Edna Hedden of St. Louis was a week end guest of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hedden. She was enroute to Van Buren to teach at the Baptist Assembly in session there.

Mrs. Ada Dement of Rombaur, Mo., was a guest in the home of her son, Charles Dement, last week.

The condition of Miss Ruth McCoy, who underwent an operation at St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau last week, is reported as much improved.

Mrs. J. R. Harwell and her mother, Mrs. R. M. Bugg, had as their guests Friday, Mrs. R. M. Swindle and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Wilson McDowell and the latter's daughter, Romona, of Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. W. R. Lair will entertain with a dessert bridge this Friday afternoon to compliment her sister, Mrs. Lynn Caruthers, who has recently moved here with Mr. Caruthers from Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Schuette and three children of Fornfelt were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm Tuesday.

Mrs. S. E. Reed was the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Max Reed in Morehouse Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frizzell and two children of Cape Girardeau visited Mrs. Frizzell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Swanner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richmond and daughters of Advance were guests of Mrs. Richmond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jenkins, on North Ranney Sunday. Sue Richmond remained for a longer visit with her grandparents and with Carol Patsy Sims.

Marjorie Malcolm and Ben Elizabeth Emerson will attend a birthday party in New Madrid Saturday afternoon, given by Mrs. Walter Edwards in honor of her daughter, Mary Lou.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Snodgrass and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mitchell and daughter of St. James, Mo., will spend this week end with Mrs. Snodgrass' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Watts. They will be accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Snodgrass' daughter, who has visited her grandparents for several weeks.

Patsy Ruth Gentles returned Tuesday from Portageville where she had visited her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Harris.

Mrs. Fred Harris entertained with a breakfast at the Colonial Tavern, Cape Girardeau, Thursday morning, complimenting her house guest, Mrs. Rex Whitton of Jefferson City.

Mrs. Birch Moll and Mrs. Joe Dowdy of Poplar Bluff were in Sikeston Wednesday afternoon to accompany Mrs. Pearman and daughter of St. Louis to their home for a visit.

Mrs. Leroy Leslie of this city, her sister, Mrs. Ed Marshall and daughter, Miss Virginia, of Charleston, will leave Saturday morning on a motor trip to Washington, D. C. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Marshall's older daughter, Miss Louise, who, employed in Washington, has been visiting her parents in Charleston.

Kenneth Gutman of Memphis, Mo., arrived Wednesday for an extended visit with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Myers.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Moselle William Monday, July 15, at their home near Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barber of Route 1, Morley, are parents of a son, Richard Allen, born at their home Wednesday, July 17.

LANDERS RIDGE CHURCH SPONSORS REVIVAL

There will be an open air revival beginning Sunday, July 28, on the lawn of James Lomax of Matthews, fostered by the Landers Ridge Baptist Church.

Rev. E. W. Milner will be the evangelist and Willard Sexton song director.

A. E. Ray, pastor.

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Madrid, June 17. — Francisco Franco, Spain's chief of state, served notice on Britain Wednesday night that Spain expects to get Gibraltar back.

Speaking at the old royal palace to military naval and airforce leaders, the generlissimo declared it was the "duty of his regime to realize the testament of Queen Isabella—to make Gibraltar again Spanish, to expand in Africa and to conserve the national unity.

It was Franco's first official indorsement of the recent student and Falangist (Spanish Fascist) campaign for return of "the rock."

Gibraltar was annexed to the Spanish crown in 1502, after the Moors had lost it. In 1704 it was captured by a combined force of Dutch and British, and the Prince of Hesse-Darmstadt, fighting for the Archduke Charles of Austria. The Spaniards beseiged Gibraltar, without success, for three years and seven months—from 1779 to 1783.

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